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God and good angels and good men and all good influences are working with us when we are working for the right.

MAY DISPLACE STATEHOOD BILL

Republican Senators Hold a Caucus and Canal Bill May Be Taken Up.

A BLAZE IN THE HOUSE

Small Fire Causes Excitement --Littlefield Bill in the Senate.

Washington, Feb. 17.—The republican senators will hold a caucus at 4 p. m. today and the steering committee will then recommend that the canal treaty be taken up and the statehood bill displaced.

IN THE SENATE.

Washington, Feb. 17.—Soon after the senate met today Mr. Hoar, from the committee on judiciary, reported the Littlefield anti-trust bill as amended. Mr. Platt (Connecticut), of the committee, stated that it was not unanimous and that he was opposed to the measure. He said a large proportion of the bill has been more wisely and appropriately treated in legislation recently enacted. Concerning the new features, there were, he said, unconstitutional provisions in them. Even if they were within the constitutional authority of congress, they were mischievous and will work great injury to the business interests of the United States.

A house bill was passed granting a pension of $30 per month to the widow of the late Representative John N. W. Rumple, of Iowa, who was a captain of volunteers in the civil war.

The usual resolution providing for the reading in the senate on Monday, Feb. 22, of Washington's farewell address, was adopted and the president pro tempore designated Mr. Dubois, of Idaho, as the reader.

The Quay resolution asking for a vote on the statehood bill went over.

The Carmack resolution directing the committee on Philippines to visit the islands to investigate conditions, was on Mr. Lodge's motion, referred to the committee on Philippines on a yea and nay vote, 37 to 24.

A resolution by Mr. Dubois requiring the civil service commission to furnish the senate information regarding the dismissal of Elmer Forshay from the office of the surveyor general of Idaho, provoked considerable discussion, which lasted until 2 o'clock, when it went over until tomorrow. The statehood bill then was taken up and Mr. Depew resumed his remarks in opposition to it.

IN THE HOUSE.

Washington, Feb. 17.—Some little excitement was created in the house of representatives just before that body convened today by the discovery of a slight blaze in the flooring of the east reserved gallery. The flooring had become ignited from a defective flue in the democratic cloak room, and when discovered about fifteen feet of the molding was ablaze. The blaze was extinguished and the members suffered no inconvenience when the house met.

After the reading of the journal Mr. Cooper (Texas) called attention to the fact that through an error in the record a bill passed yesterday relating to an appropriation in the river and harbor bill for Sabine Pass technically repealed the river and harbor bill. As the matter was somewhat complicated it was allowed to go over until tomorrow.

Mr. Littlefield (Maine), as a matter of privilege, criticised some remarks of Mr. Sulzer (New York) as they appeared in the record. He also denied some assertions made in a newspaper article concerning the Littlefield anti-trust bill.

Mr. Sulzer replied in a semi-humorous vein, saying Mr. Littlefield's speech was his defense for his failure to pass his anti-trust bill as promised last summer.

Mr. Littlefield did not pursue the matter further except to declare with great emphasis that a statement made by Mr. Sulzer was made with the knowledge that it was untrue.

Mr. Dalzell, from the committee on rules, then presented a special rule making in order the legislation reported in the naval bill for the increase of the personnel of the navy and for the increase of the limit of cost of the naval academy. He explained how vital the proposed legislation was and read the recommendations of the secretary of the navy on the subject.

Mr. Richardson (Tennessee) and Mr. Underwood (Alabama) both denounced the principle involved in the rule as vicious. The resolution was adopted without division and the house went into committee of the whole and entered upon the consideration of the naval appropriation bill.

Mr. Foss, chairman of the committee, in charge of the bill, made a preliminary statement explaining its important features and dwelling especially upon the necessity for providing additional officers in the navy.

IN LINE WITH THE MONROE DOCTRINE

Kaiser's Favorite Poet Proves Germany's Position is All Right.

Berlin, Feb. 17.—Ernst Von Wildenbruch, Emperor William's favorite contemporary poet and sometimes for that reason called the court poet, has written an article on "Germany and the Monroe Doctrine," in which he says it is clearly in a line with Germany's interest and policy to join with the United States in maintaining the doctrine and expresses the hope that the United States will extend its authority over all Latin America. "This," the poet says, "may be the greatest struggle of the twentieth century. It will be a contest of the Germanic race against Latindom. Germany started the struggle against it in 1870 and America continued it in 1898. It is the inevitable strife of the Germanic against the Latin races, which must continue until the Germanic race is supreme. In this struggle no German can be in doubt as to where his sympathies and active aid should go."

Herr Von Wildenbruch urges Germany to make an explicit and positive declaration in favor of the Monroe doctrine, so that all the world may know where she stands and thus remove any doubt whatever that Germany is with the United States, and that Germany has absolutely no occasion to be hostile to the Monroe doctrine and on every occasion support it.

INSPECTING ROUTE OF HICKSVILLE LINE

C. S. Karoly and W. S. O'Rourke Driving Over Route of New Interurban.

Charles S. Karoly, who is the representative of the Chicago capitalists who are at the head of the project to build an electric line from Fort Wayne to Bryan, Ohio, is now engaged in driving over the route with a view of examining more closely the topographical conditions of the territory through which it is designed to pass.

Mr. Karoly arrived in the city yesterday, and nothing deterred by the severe weather, started across the country in company with his attorney, W. S. O'Rourke.

The extension of time limit granted the old Ohio and Indiana company in the matter of the franchise through Allen county expired on Saturday, and the county commissioners have not been in session since that time. It will be recalled that when the Chicago gentlemen applied for a franchise some weeks ago that would permit them to construct a road along a line identical with that granted the old company more than a year ago, Mr. Kaough, for the Ohio and Indiana company, asked that action be deferred for sixty days, at the end of which time his company expected to have its project financed. Nothing further has been heard upon the subject, and the petition of the new company is yet on file with the commissioners. It is believed the matter may be taken up when the commissioners meet tomorrow.

WILL VISIT ST. LOUIS.

Vienna, Feb. 17.—The Industrial Association of Lower Austria has decided to visit the St. Louis exposition between August and October. The members of the association will stay in America two months and will visit the manufacturing centers. The prospect of Austrian participation in the exposition is lessening. The Vienna chamber of commerce has reported to the ministry of commerce that very few of its members are inclined to exhibit.

KILLED BY APOPLEXY.

Boston, Feb. 17.—Charles Theodore Russell, chairman of the Massachusetts civil service commission, died suddenly last night of apoplexy. He was a brother of the late ex-Governor William E. Russell.

WHOLE NORTH IS FROST STRICKEN

Cold Wave Extends from Far Western States Into New England.

HEAVY SNOWS IN EAST

Frost Line Goes Far South—Railroads Suffer from Zero Weather.

Chicago, Feb. 17.—Intense cold, the most severe of the winter, prevailed today throughout the middle west, the temperature ranging from 1 degree above zero at Louisville to 24 below at West Superior, Wis. Official records at other centers were: Chicago, 10; Peoria, 14; St. Louis, 6; Indianapolis, 8; Milwaukee, 10; Columbus, 2; Kansas City, 9; Des Moines, 9; St. Paul, 20; Omaha, 10, and Topeka, 12. Farther west and northwest the weather was moderating.

Relief committees everywhere were taxed to the limit in relieving the suffering of the poor.

Trolley lines in various cities were badly crippled and both suburban and through trains on the railways were delayed. Many suburban trains were abandoned.

Telegraph and telephone service was seriously crippled, the contraction of the wires causing them to break, and for a time Chicago was practically cut off from communication with the outside world.

BLIZZAR HITS NEW YORK.

New York, Feb. 17.—The blizzard of last night left New York in a better condition today than was expected. The snow ceased falling at an early hour, but began again about 8 o'clock. Surface and elevated railroad lines were partly crippled, but were not so badly tied up as by several previous storms this winter. The predicted big drop in temperature did not occur. The velocity of the wind had decreased considerably since mid-night, when there was a moderate gale. Up to 9 o'clock the total snowfall in this city, as reported by the weather bureau, was nine and seven-tenths inches. This is by far the heaviest fall of snow this winter.

Buffalo, N. Y., Feb. 17.—The thermometer at 9 o'clock registered zero, the lowest so far this season. Only a few inches of snow have fallen here in the last forty-eight hours. Mails, however, are arriving from one to five hours late, the latter from the west.

Schenectady, N. Y., Feb. 17.—This city and vicinity is experiencing the worst blizzard of the season. Since yesterday afternoon more than fifteen inches of snow have fallen and it is still snowing hard. The railroad trains are hours late and scarcely any attempt is being made to maintain the schedule. The interurban trolley systems are greatly impeded and the local railway service has been tied up almost completely.

Rochester, N. Y., Feb. 17.—There is ten inches of snow on the ground and the blizzard is still raging. The temperature, however, is not low and little suffering is noticeable. All street and railway traffic is delayed.

Utica, N. Y., Feb. 17.—One of the deepest snows of the winter fell in this section last night and the railroads are finding much difficulty in running trains. There was very little wind, but it is increasing today.

IN NEW ENGLAND.

Boston, Feb. 17.—The worst snow storm of the winter thus far prevailed here last night. Snow continued to fall this afternoon. Railroad and street car service was badly hampered and shipping was effectually tied up. Several vessels which left port last night are supposed to have experienced a hard night. There is a large number of transatlantic vessels due at this port.

New Haven, Conn., Feb. 17.—Street car traffic in this city was badly crippled this morning by the snowstorm. Similar conditions were reported at many other points in the state. On the steam railroads the storm delayed trains somewhat in the early morning, but the lines were generally kept open.

BLIZZARD IN PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, Feb. 17.—A storm savoring of a blizzard, which reached this city last evening and raged with unremitting force during the greater part of the night, still prevails today, but in a somewhat milder degree. During the night snow fell to a depth of six inches and the temperature dropped to 20 degrees at 8 o'clock this morning, 10 degrees lower than at 11 o'clock last night. Fine snow is falling today, driven by severe gales. Railroad and street railway traffic is badly handicapped and telegraph and telephone service is crippled. Trains on all the railroads entering the city are late and trolley cars on most of the lines are running under difficulties without regard to schedule.

Delaware Breakwater reports a thirty-six-mile gale, accompanied by thick snow. There have been no arrivals or departures of vessels and no reports of disaster to shipping.

This is municipal election day throughout the state and one effect of

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PROTOCOL SIGNED WITH VENEZUELA

Agreement Providing for a Settlement With This Country Made.

Washington, Feb. 17.—Secretary Hay, for the United States, and Mr. Bowen, for Venezuela, today signed a protocol providing for the adjustment of United States claims against Venezuela by a commission to meet at Caracas.

This commission will consist of two members, a Venezuelan and an American, to be appointed, respectively, by Presidents Castro and Roosevelt, and in the event of disagreement, an umpire to be appointed by the queen of the Netherlands. It is expected that the minister for foreign affairs will be appointed as Venezuela's representative and that either Mr. Bowen or Mr. Russell, the United States charge, will be named to represent the United States.

Baron Gevers, the minister for the Netherlands, called at the state department today to give notice of the acceptance by Queen Wilhelmina of the task imposed upon her, her consent having been previously sought by both parties to the arbitration.

CABINET MEETING A QUIET AFFAIR

Departmental Matters Were Mainly Discussed at the Council

Washington, Feb. 17.—Assurance is given that the meeting of the cabinet today developed nothing of serious importance. All the members except Secretary Shaw were present and the two hours consumed by the session were spent in an informal discussion largely of departmental affairs.

Secretary Hay presented to the cabinet the text of the protocol which has been signed on behalf of the United States and Venezuela for the reference of the claims of this government against the South American republic to arbitration.

The status of the Panama canal treaty in the senate again was discussed. Some apprehension is expressed that the treaty may not be ratified at the present session owing to the opposition of Senator Morgan. The option the United States holds on the Panama canal company's property will expire on March 4th. It is impossible, even if the treaty should be ratified by the senate at this session, to effect an exchange of ratifications before the expiration of the option. It is proposed, however, to enter into a contract with the Panama canal company by the terms of which the amount agreed upon shall be paid the company by this government on the exchange of ratifications between the United States and Colombia. That arrangement, it is regarded, will tide over the present emergency and keep alive the option.

Miss Anna Gallmeier was pleasantly surprised last Saturday afternoon by a number of her friends, who assembled at her home as a valentine party. A very enjoyable afternoon and evening were spent and at 6 o'clock an oyster supper was served. The table decorations were red and white. Miss Bertha Pfeiffer won first prize and Miss Selma Schiefer the consolation prize at a heart hunt, and Miss Anna Rodenbeck won first prize and Miss Clara Schwarz the consolation prize at an archer contest.

DIED OF BRIGHT'S DISEASE.

Lynn, Mass., Feb. 17.—Frederick W. Wilder, one of the editors of the Lynn Daily Evening Item, died today of Bright's disease. He was born in 1852.

PARLIAMENT IS OPENED BY KING

Royal Pomp Attends Ceremony Which is Marked by a Public Pageant.

EDWARD MAKES A SPEECH

Address from the Throne Contains Nothing of Overshadowing Moment.

London, Feb. 17.—King Edward, accompanied by Queen Alexandra and surrounded by the court and all the officers of state, opened parliament this afternoon.

Early in the morning the vaults of the house were searched, as usual, for imaginary conspirators, by the yeomen of the guard, carrying ancient lanterns and useless halberds. The movements of the troops taking up positions along the route of the procession followed, so the crowds which had been attracted by the fine weather and desire to witness the royal pageant did not lack entertainment during the wait. The royal procession, consisting of six state carriages escorted by lifeguards, left Buckingham palace at 1:30 p. m. Their majesties were seated in the last carriage, which was drawn by the eight Hanoverian horses which have figured in all the recent royal ceremonies. The king and queen reached the Victoria tower through the Mall, the horse guards and Whitehall.

ROYAL PROCESSION.

All the great officers of state, in varied uniforms, were assembled at the royal entrance of the house of peers to receive the king. The procession, which was identical with that of the previous similar ceremony, formed and, headed by the pursuivants and heralds, marched to the robing room, their majesties being immediately preceded by the sword of state, carried by the Marquis of Londonderry. After the robing the procession reformed and, with a blast of trumpets, advanced to the peers' chamber, the Duke of Devonshire, lord president of the council, preceding their majesties with the imperial crown, which he carried on a cushion. The king then seated himself on the throne with the lords bearing the cap of maintenance and the sword of state standing on his right and left. The queen sat on the left of the king and the prince of Wales on his right.

THE KING'S SPEECH.

The members of the house of commons were then summoned and on their arrival the lord high chancellor, Earl Halsbury, kneeling, handed the king the speech, which his majesty read from the steps of the throne, as follows:

"My Lords and Gentlemen: My relations with all the foreign powers continue friendly.

"The blockade of the Venezuelan ports has led to negotiations for the adjustment of all the matters in dispute. I rejoice that a settlement has now been arrived at which has justified the blockading powers in bringing all hostile naval operations to an immediate close.

"Negotiations have taken place for an adjustment of the questions which have arisen in regard to the boundary of my possessions in North America and that of the territory of Alaska. A treaty providing for the reference of these questions to an arbitral tribunal has been signed and ratified."

The speech next referred to the Balkan question, saying:

"The condition of the European provinces of Turkey gives cause for serious anxiety. I have used my best efforts to impress on the sultan and his ministers the urgent need of practical, well-considered measures of reform."

HOPES FOR THE BEST.

After noting that Austria and Russia have been considering the reforms which the signatories of the treaty of Berlin should recommend to the sultan, the speech adds:

"I trust that the proposals will prove sufficient for the purpose and that I shall find it possible to give them my hearty support."

The king next mentioned the Aden Hinterland dispute and the Somaliland expedition and then turned to South Africa, on which subject he said:

"The progress of events in South Africa has been satisfactory. The visit of the colonial secretary has already been productive of the happiest results and the opportunity it has provided for personal conferences with Lord Milner and the ministers of the self-governing colonies and the representatives of all interests and opinions has greatly conduced to a smooth adjustment of many difficult questions and to the removal of many occasions of misunderstanding."

After referring to the Kano (Nigeria) expedition and the Indian durbar, the king said:

"I am glad to be able to state that the latter imposing ceremony coincided with the disappearance of the drought and agricultural distress in western India, and that the prospects for both agriculture and commerce throughout my Indian empire are more encouraging and satisfactory than for some time past."

BUDGET WILL BE LARGE.

The speech concluded with an intimation that the budget estimates of the expenditure would inevitably be large and with promising the introduction of bills dealing with the Irish land question, London education, sugar bounties and the London docks.

In regard to the Irish measure, the king said:

"It will, I trust, complete the series of measures which have already done much to substitute single ownership for the costly and unsatisfactory conditions still attaching to the tenure of agricultural land over a large portion of Ireland."

He laid special emphasis on the words "signed and ratified" in the paragraph of his speech referring to the Alaskan boundary, showing evident satisfaction at the fact that he was able to make such an announcement.

The king and queen returned to Buckingham palace at 3 o'clock. The crowds everywhere greeted them with enthusiasm.

CORTELYOU DELAYS TAKING NEW OFFICE

New Cabinet Member Wants a Few Friends There When He Takes Oath.

Washington, Feb. 17.—Secretary Cortelyou will not qualify as the head of the new department of commerce for a day or two, possibly not until Friday morning. He desires that two or three intimate friends, who reside in other cities, be present when he takes the oath of office, and the ceremony will await their arrival in Washington. One of them, General Maxwell, whom Mr. Cortelyou served as confidential clerk when he was fourth assistant postmaster general in President Cleveland's last administration, arrived here today.

The oath probably will be administered to Secretary Cortelyou at the white house by one of the justices of the United States supreme court. Coincidentally with the qualification of Mr. Cortelyou as a cabinet officer, William Loeb, jr., now assistant secretary to the president, will take the oath as secretary to the president. The probability is that Mr. Cortelyou will sit in his first cabinet meeting on Friday.

It will not be announced for several days what plans Secretary Cortelyou has matured as to the new department. Temporary quarters for the secretary, commissioner of corporations and other officials who from time to time may be designated, will be obtained, but their location has not been made public. It is quite probable that the bureau already in existence in other departments will not be removed from their present quarters for a considerable time.

HOUSE BURNS ON WABASH AVENUE

Firemen Hampered in Fight With Flames by Frozen Water Plugs.

This afternoon at 2:30 an alarm of fire telephoned from the Winch homestead, at the corner of Maumee avenue and Wabash and Winch streets, called the department to the residence of a tenant named Lewis Smith, a few doors south of Winch street on the east side of Wabash avenue.

There was difficulty in getting water on the fire on account of a frozen water plug and afterward the fire apparatus got stuck in a snow drift. For a while it looked as though a whole row of frame houses on the same side of the street would go, but after water was secured the loss was confined to the single residence.

The property is owned by Mrs. Jessie M. Shober and the loss will probably reach about $800. There was no insurance, the policy having expired a few weeks ago.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

John J. Ryan and Mary Golden.

Charles Ross and Ida M. Arnold.

Thomas J. Kehoe and Josephine M. Martin.

PROSECUTOR IS UNDER INQUIRY

Grand Jury Affairs Take a Turn That is Promising of Interest.

MANY WITNESSES GO IN

Most of Them of the Classes Brought in Contact With the Prosecutor.

As has previously been stated "the grand jury is still grinding away." What the jury is grinding at is more of a matter of concern to a whole lot of people than the mere announcement that it is still grinding. The Sentinel has been at some pains to pry into the business of the jury rooms, always, of course, doing it respectfull, and its predictions have never been contradicted during this session. It never before was in so fair a position to make an accurate forecast as to what is going on in the grand jury room and can safely say that the affairs of the prosecuting attorney are mostly under consideration. The witnesses today are from all parts of the county. Some are still up on the Williamsport matter, but most of them are disconnected from any case that has heretofore been presented. A careful watch of the character of the witnesses who passed into the jury room developed the fact that most of the respondents to the summonses were justices of the peace, constables, lawyers, a supposed gambler here and there, not a few women of the town, some all round sports, a liberal sprinkling of saloonkeepers and altogether such a class of persons with whom the prosecuting attorney naturally has the most dealing in course of a year.

It is now confidently expected that the deliberations of the jury will be completed by Friday of this week and it can be asserted with equal confidence that there will be no indictments returned before that day. Quite a number of persons whom the jurymen would be pleased to examine are out of town and may not return before the ides of March.

COURT NOTES.

In the superior court the case of James Stewart vs. the Farmers' Insurance company and B. F. Streiffing for damages in the sum of $5,000, is still on trial before a jury. During the afternoon there were several sharp passages between the attorneys interested in the case, which consumed considerable time. The case will not be terminated before som etime tomorrow and both parties feel confident of winning their case.

In the circuit court the case of the state vs. Bulger for surety of the peace continues to hold the attention of judge and jury. The arguments are in course of presentation as The Sentinel goes to press and will probably be completed before supper time.

County Assessor Eggemann this afternoon indulged the wild excitement of a building letting. Mr. Eggemann recently advertised for bids for building four houses on his lots adjacent to the corner of Creighton avenue and Oliver streets. The bids were to be opened at 3 o'clock and before that time over 200 had been presented and nearly as many contractors were smilingly benignantly on Mr. Eggemann and stuffing his pockets with cigars.

Thaddeus Hendrix, whose wife was divorced from him last week and who was ordered to make certain provisions for her support, was cited to appear in court today to show cause why he should not be punished for contempt for failing to comply with the order of the court.

The will of Rachel B. Miller has been probated in the circuit court.

Representative Somers has introduced a bill providing that the school trustees of the city of Fort Wayne shall pay for street improvements, the same as private property owners.

Several minor cases have been filed in the clerk's office for appeal from Justice Tancey's court.

Frank Belot was called to his home shortly after noon by a telephone message saying that his wife had been suddenly taken ill.

Jacob B. Engle has commenced action against John Rogers to quiet title.

Henry C. Zollinger has filed his final report as administrator of the estate of the late Maria Brooks.

Oscar Whitmore sues Jennie Whitmore for divorce, alleging desertion. The parties were married in February, 1900, and after two months of wedded melange separated.


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Louis F. Fueling, of the firm of Heinrich & Fueling, is in Grand Rapids purchasing furniture for the drug store owned by this firm, which has been handsomely remodeled.

H. C. ROCKHILL GOES AFTER STEEL PLANT

Conference With Owners in Chicago—Bond to Fulfill Agreement.

As a result of the conference between business men and representatives of the Commercial Land company at the Commercial club rooms Monday evening H. C. Rockhill left today for Chicago, where he will confer with the gentlemen who are desirous of establishing a big steel rolling plant in Fort Wayne.

The company has indicated its willingness to come to Fort Wayne upon certain conditions, erecting buildings at a cost of $700,000 and giving employment to from 1,200 to 1,500 men. Twenty-five acres of ground will be required, in addition to a sum of money to assist in the erection of the buildings. The matter was discussed at considerable length Monday evening, and it was determined to send a representative to hold a conference with the Chicago men. They will be invited to Fort Wayne, and over a luncheon the question will be taken up more specifically.

To locate the plant here it will be necessary to dispose of 400 lots in the new factory addition, and while the movement will mean a tremendous amount of work a big force of public-spirited citizens are willing to take it up and endeavor to push it to a successful culmination. A new feature suggested by President Beadell last evening was that in the future the manufacturing concerns be required to give bond to fulfill their portion of the agreement by locating in the city. This suggestion grew out of the fact that on one or two previous occasions, after the money necessary had been raised, the factory promoters from one cause and another failed to proceed with the erection of the plant.

DIVORCE OUTWITS A WIDOW.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Feb. 17.—A difference of an hour and a half in the time of the granting of a decree of divorce in Allegan county would have made Emma Christie, formerly Emma Taylor, nearly $70,000 richer, and she got $7,500 alimony as it was. For about two years she was the wife of A. M. Christie, of this city, who died recently. A divorce had been pending in Allegan county for some time before the death of Christie and when it was seen that the end was approaching one of Christie's relatives hastened to Allegan county in the night to urge haste on the part of the judge. The decree was issued an hour and a half before Christie's death. Had there been a longer delay Mrs. Christie would have been legally Christie's widow and would have come into his entire estate.

SMASHED BOWLING RECORD.

Frank Farnan and Frank Hill, comprising the Eureka two-man team, smashed a state bowling record at the Eureka alleys Monday, when they turned up the phenomenal score of 468, Farnan rolling 247 and Hill 221. Neither man made an error or a split in the ten innings. In five games the young men rolled 1,882 pins, an average of 376 2-5.

FORESTERS ARRIVE.

Messrs. Thomas Griffin, Edward Wilson, Charles Michaels, F. H. Fisher and H. B. Tucker, of Noblesville, are in the city to attend the meeting of the high court of Foresters which opens tomorrow. They are at the New Aveline.

WILL GET CIRCUS EARLY.

It is announced that the Barnum & Baily circus will make an early visit to Fort Wayne this season for the first time in several years. The date will be about April 1.

Decatur Democrat: H. F. Smeader, representative for the Fort Wayne Wind Mill company, who has been making an exhibit at Brittson Bros., spent Sunday with his family at Fort Wayne.

Indigestion Causes Catarrh of the Stomach.

For many years it has been supposed that Catarrh of the Stomach caused indigestion and dyspepsia, but the truth is exactly the opposite. Indigestion causes catarrh. Repeated attacks of indigestion inflames the mucous membranes lining the stomach and exposes the nerves of the stomach, thus causing the glands to secrete mucin instead of the juices of natural digestion. This is called Catarrh of the Stomach.

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Miss Nellie Harding left today for Phoenix, Ariz.

Miss Minnie Hartwick is at home from a visit at Briceton, Ohio.

The Hibernian Rifles will give a reception at the armory this evening.

Mrs. C. H. Meek returned yesterday from a visit with her parents at Pierceton.

Mrs. P. J. Hess has been called to Cincinnati by the serious illness of a relative.

Joseph Ryal left yesterday for Geary, Okla., where he will spend the remainder of the winter.

Seven candidates were instructed in the Pythian mysteries by Phoenix lodge No. 101 last evening.

Dr. E. J. McOscar left this morning for a brief visit at Turin, Can., where an uncle is seriously ill.

Ex-Postmaster C. B. Higgins is gradually gaining in health, and is able to walk about his room daily.

Miss Frances Fray will leave early next week for Chicago, where she will complete her musical education.

Bluffton News: Mrs. M. A. Donaldson arrived from Fort Wayne at noon to attend the funeral of Mrs. Neal Bulger tomorrow.

Louis Crosby, of West Third street, was pleasantly surprised last evening by a large number of friends. Refreshments were served at a late hour.

Dr. Bower, Dr. McCaskey and Dr. Duemling will read papers at the regular meeting of the Allen County Medical society which will be held in the coroner's office this evening.

Miss Anna Rocholl, of this city, won in a voting contest which was held in connection with a social at Besancon Saturday evening. The event was given by Rev. Father John Noll.

Miss Nellie Williams, who has been stenographer in the office of Manager Taylor, of the Central Union telephone company, has resigned her position and will leave next week for a visit to her sister at Santa Barbara, Cal.

The Rosary society of the Precious Blood church will give a social and entertainment at its hall this evening. There will be a number of excellent piano solos and the Peerless quartet will also contribute to the program.

Columbia City Post: Master Charles Hollis returned Sunday evening from Fort Wayne, leaving his mother, Mrs. F. M. Hollis, there with her mother, Mrs. Anna Rollins.—Joseph Stiner and family arrived in the city Sunday evening from Fort Wayne to spend a few days with the families of Joseph Champion and James Roe.

Miss Rosa Kline charmingly entertained a company of friends Saturday evening in honor of her birthday anniversary. In the progressive pedro first prizes were won by Miss Maude Ensminger and Frank Charton, while the consolations went to Miss Josephine Kehler and Woodford Kincade. Miss Clara Inman and Miss Kline contributed delightful musical numbers.

George Harkenrider celebrated his twenty-first birthday yesterday and in honor of the event a very enjoyable birthday party was held at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Harkenrider, 2431 Hanna street. The Florodora club, of which Mr. Harkenrider is a member, were the guests, together with their lady friends. Following the progressive pedro an elegant lunch was served.

Father O'Leary Council No. 327, Catholic Benevolent Legion, gave an enjoyable entertainment at Library hall last evening. There was a large crowd present, and among those contributing to the program were President D. Gorman, Rev. J. F. Noll, Miss Fannie Welch, J. E. Ferguson, Miss McNulty, Miss Grace Parisot, Miss Falvey, Miss Callahan, Fred Link, the Saliot brothers, William Farrell and R. F. Saliot.

Mrs. Robert C. Bell gave a very pretty informal reception last evening in honor of Miss Duke, of Scooba, Miss., who is spending a few weeks in the city. The guests numbered about thirty and a feature of the evening was an enjoyable musical program given by Mrs. H. J. Bowerfind, Miss Emma Rurode, Miss Lamley and Miss Hanna. Later a buffet supper was served in the dining room, where jonquils, smilax and mignonette were used in the decorations. Miss Nelson poured coffee and Mrs. McKinnie assisted in serving.

KRUGER DENOUNCES ELOPING PRINCESS

Oom Paul Meets Louise of Saxony at Mentone—Deals Giron a Blow.

New York, Feb. 17.—Recently arrived copies of Scandinavian newspapers contain detailed accounts of a sensational meeting between President Kruger and the eloping crown princess of Saxony and her lover, which is alleged to have taken place at Mentone the latter part of January. A Danish reporter who happened to be visiting the place at that time became by chance an eyewitness to the scene, according to his own assertion, and telegraphed a report of it to the Politiken at Copenhagen.

This reporter, the story goes, was sitting outside a cafe on one of the popular promenades at Mentone, when he caught sight of the crown princess leaning on the arm of Giron. They were chatting and laughing and exchanging fond glances, with utter disregard of the excitement their appearance aroused.

OOM PAUL APPEARS.

Suddenly they were confronted by a tall old man, who seemed to have risen out of the ground, because no one had noticed his approach while all eyes were turned on the loving pair. The old man had on his head a high hat, very much the worse for wear. A long overcoat fell straight from his shoulders until it almost touched the ground.

It was Oom Paul, the former Boer president. Raising his right hand toward the sky, he cried in a deep, tremulous voice:

"Ye adulterers and adulteresses! Do ye not know that the friendship of this world is the hostility of the Lord?"

He spoke in his own language, Dutch, but the woman before him apparently comprehended the meaning of his words.

LOUISE COVERS HER FACE.

The crown princess drew her hand away from Giron's arm, staggered a few steps backward and sank down on a chair, covering her face with both hands. Her lover ran to her side and endeavored to reassure her, crying repeatedly: "My dear, he is crazy!"

Above his shrill voice rose again the thundering bars of Oom Paul:

"Come hither, I shall show unto you the judgment that is pronounced upon the great harlot. 'And the woman was arrayed in purple and scarlet color and decked with gold and precious stones and pearls. And on her forehead was a name written: The mother of harlots and abominations.'"

With a sob and a groan the crown princess sprang from her chair and tore a splendid bracelet set with diamonds from her wrist. It fell to the ground and rolled to the feet of Oom Paul.

GIRON KNOCKED DOWN.

A moment later Giron was shaking his fist in the old chief's face. A powerful blow with the flat hand on the side of the head sent him reeling to one side and nearly knocked him down. Then the old man turned his back on the pair and walked slowly toward his villa, which was only a few hundred feet distant.

Giron picked up the bracelet and disappeared in the opposite direction, followed by the crown princess, whose eyes did not leave the ground.

About a dozen spectators are said to have witnessed the scene, which struck them speechless while it lasted, only to set their tongues wagging so much the more when it was all over.

To explain the silence of the rest of the European press on such an interesting incident, the Danish reporter asserts that only one correspondent besides himself learned of it, and that Giron bribed the other fellow to silence.

A NIGHT ALARM.

Worse than an alarm of fire at night is the brassy cough of croup, which sounds like the children's death knell and it means death unless something is done quickly. Foley's Honey and Tar never fails to give instant relief and quickly cures the worst forms of croup. Mrs. P. L. Cordier, of Mannington, Ky., writes: "My three-year-old girl had a severe case of croup; the doctor said she could not live. I got a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar, the first dose gave quick relief and saved her life." Refuse substitutes. Sold by Dreier & Bro.

DESCENDS FROM LAFAYETTE.

Paris, Feb. 17.—The foreign office today announced the appointment of the Vicomte de Chambrun to be an attache of the French embassy at Washington. He is a great grandson of Lafayette, was the representative of the Lafayette family at the Rochambeau ceremonies and is a brother of Marquis de Chambrun, a member of the chamber of deputies, who is the ranking representative of the family. The Vicomte will sail for New York March 7. Owing to the recent death of his mother, the venerable marquise, who was then the head of the family, the vicomte is in mourning and will be compelled to withhold from participation in social events for the present.

PLAN TO PURIFY WATER.

Washington, Feb. 17.—Louis Gathmann, the Chicago inventor, claims to have discovered a method of purifying water of all kinds of disease germs, and has enlisted the assistance of New York and Washington capitalists to put his machines on the market. It is said that the Standard Liquid Purifying company, the corporation which will exploit the machines, has been organized for $2,500,000 and will soon be in a position to sell the machines cheap. model of Mr. Gathmann's apparatus has been at work in this city for several months with excellent results, it is claimed. It is asserted that from 1,000,000 to 2,000,000 gallons of water can be purified in a space ten feet square at a cost of from $3 to $ per million gallons. Plans are under way for an apparatus with a capacity of this size, and the machine will be in working order soon.

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Miss Carrie Gifford, who has been visiting friends at Ashley, has returned home.

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Councilman E. C. Miller left this morning for Indianapolis to attend the meeting of the State Hardware association.

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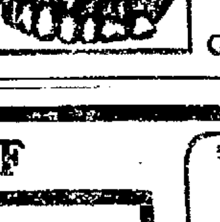
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STANSBURY BILL PASSES

The House Puts the Measure Through by Party Vote--The Legislature.

(Special to The Sentinel.)

Indianapolis, Feb. 17.—The house this forenoon passed one of the most important bills of the entire session. It was the measure of Representative Stansbury, which provides that purchases of school supplies for all the public schools of the state, both city and township, shall be made by a state commission consisting of the governor, state superintendent of public instruction, one city and one school superintendent. This takes the power to purchase all supplies out of the hands of the township trustees and city and town school boards.

The republicans caucused on the measure last night and decided to support it on the ground that it would save the taxpayers of every corporation in the state a considerable sum each year.

Four republicans, however, bolted the caucus and voted against the bill. The democrats opposed the measure, making it a party fight. The bill was passed by a vote of 52 to 37.

It is understood that the opposition will carry the fight to the senate. It is not known what attitude the leaders in the upper house will take.

NEW TEMPERANCE BILL.

Senator Kittinger has finished his bill to regulate the liquor traffic. He said the bill is not backed by anyone but himself. He drew it as a compromise measure to settle the present controversy over the liquor question. The bill will be introduced at the first opportunity.

It provides that the applicant file his application for a license on or before October 1, with the county auditor.

The board of commissioners shall only grant licenses in incorporated towns or cities, and only at the December session in each year, and no more than one for each 200 voters and one for an additional fraction of over 100 voters.

No license shall be issued for a place if within 300 feet in either direction on the same street there are more residences than places of business.

The only cause for remonstrance shall be unfitness of the applicant, and any voter can remonstrate, setting forth the unfitness.

The license fee in a city shall be $1,200 and in an incorporated town $900, of which $200 shall go to the school fund of the county. In a city $1,000 shall be paid the city in an incorporated town, $700 to the town.

The unexpired term of a license can be transferred to any person who was an applicant at the December session.

LICENSE MAY BE REVOKED.

If it be shown that the holder of the license has three times violated the law or otherwise becomes unfit, his license shall be revoked.

An appeal may be made in ten days to the circuit court.

Immoral women are not permitted in saloons nor can the saloonkeeper sell liquor to them. A violation of the section means a fine not less than $25 nor more than $100, to which imprisonment, not exceeding sixty days, may be added.

Saloons must close in incorporated towns at 10 p. m., and not open until 5 a. m., and in cities close at 12 o'clock and not open before 5 a. m.

The prosecuting witnesses procuring a conviction shall receive one-half of the fine assessed.

It is made the duty of the persons who take the enumeration of school children on each year, at the same time, to take a correct census of the names of any voter in the city or incorporated town.

All licenses now in force shall be at an end December 15, 1903.

Senator Kittinger's bill does not repeal the Nicholson law, except the sections that conflict with the Kittinger bill.

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LAD SEVERELY INJURED.

Henry, the three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kramer, who reside on a farm near Robison park, fell off a chair yesterday and struck his head against the stove, cutting a bad gash in the scalp. Dr. J. E. Stultz was called to attend the little sufferer.

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WHOLE NORTH IS FROST STRICKEN

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the storm has been to lessen the vote. This is particularly so in the suburban and outlying sections.

COLD WAVE, SNOW AND FLOOD.

Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 17.—Pittsburg is in the grip of a cold wave, heavy snow and a flood. Luckily the high water just missed the danger point and beyond flooding the lowlands and causing inconvenience to owners of plants along the river fronts, no damage was done. During the night a fierce snow and wind storm developed and this morning there is a half foot of snow on the level, and zero weather prevails. Street car service has been seriously impeded and all trains east and west are from two to four hours late.

STORMS DELAY TRAINS.

Harrisburg, Pa., Feb. 17.—The snowfall which was quite heavy in this section during the night, did not materially affect the running of railroad trains. It was reported at the union station of the Pennsylvania railroad this morning that trains from the west are from an hour to an hour and a half late and from the north from thirty minutes to an hour behind schedule. In this city snow fell until early this morning and was nine inches deep on the level.

INDIANAPOLIS, 8 BELOW.

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 17.—The temperature at 8 a. m. registered 8 below. After that hour it began to rise slowly, but the forecaster promises extremely cold weather for two days. Railroad schedules have been disarranged by the cold wave and nearly all trains are from one to seven hours late.

SEVERE COLD IN MICHIGAN.

Detroit, Mich., Feb. 17.—Severe cold weather is general over both peninsulas, last night ranging from zero at Grand Haven, on the lake shore, to 20 below zero at Soo St. Marie. In Detroit the thermometer registered 4 degrees below at 8 o'clock today. Alpena reported 8 below, Marquette 14 below and Houghton 10 below. Despite the extreme cold last night no cases of freezing or unusual suffering have been reported to the police or poor commissioner. Trains are somewhat delayed by the extreme cold.

STORM HAS ABATED.

Cleveland, Ohio, Feb. 17.—The terrific storm of wind and snow that swept over northern Ohio for more than forty-eight hours subsided early today. During last night the wind blew at the rate of nearly forty miles an hour from the northwest, while the temperature fell to 3 above zero. Practically all trains arriving at the union station are from one to three hours late as a result of the high wind and drifting snow.

Columbus, Ohio, Feb. 17.—The mercury was 2 below this morning, with prospects of very little moderation today. Three inches of snow fell last night. The weather is clear today.

IN THE SOUTHWEST.

St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 17.—At 7 a. m., by the thermometer at the weather bureau, it registered 6 below zero, the coldest weather of the season for this vicinity. This is a drop of 12 degrees from mid-night. Out in the suburbs and throughout southern Illinois and Missouri reports of even lower temperature are being received. The sky is clear and the temperature is gradually moderating. Incoming trains are somewhat delayed.

All trains except short accommodations were from two to six hours late this morning and the Vandalia and Chicago and Alton reported many poles down along the tracks as a result of the storms. The telegraph companies have had a hard time keeping communication open. Because of the lack of fuel at the city hospital the lives of 700 patients, some of whom are at the point of death, are endangered by the cold. Since the cold snap struck St. Louis the hospital has been without enough coal and the authorities have been compelled to economize in the use of what they had. An insufficient supply of coal at the court house resulted in the closing of the courts' offices here today. There seems to be plenty of coal in the city, but owing to the condition of the streets it is extremely hard to deliver.

Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 17.—The intense cold weather in the southwest continues. At Kansas City at 8 o'clock this morning the thermometer recorded 9 below, the coldest of the winter here. Further west the temperature was still lower, with no indications of moderation. Train schedules are still badly demoralized.

Peoria, Ill., Feb. 17.—The weather is becoming slightly colder. The temperature at 6 a. m. was 13 below and at 7 o'clock it was 14 below. Clear and no wind.

TERRIFIC IN COLORADO.

Denver, Colo., Feb. 17.—The most severe snow and wind storm experienced in years prevailed in South Park, on the Gunnison and Leadville branches of the Colorado and Southern railroad. The Leadville branch is snowbound between Como and Breckenridge, a distance of 30 miles. Passenger trains are stalled in the drifts between these points and engines sent to their rescue became fastened in the huge piles of snow and are helpless. Freight trains are also stuck in the snow.

The livestock throughout the park is suffering terribly, and unless protected the probability is that serious losses on sheep and cattle will be sustained by owners whose herds were not sheltered. All traffic on the branch from Como to Gunnison has been suspended. Two trains are dead at St. Elmo, from which place they have been trying to move for three days. Conditions are serious for the company at Alpine Tunnel, between St. Elmo and Gunnison. But one train has passed through the tunnel in several days.

WARMER IN WYOMING.

Cheyenne, Wyo., Feb. 17.—Warmer weather prevails with a few exceptions throughout the state and in most sections a strong wind is clearing the snow from the ranges. Experienced stockmen say that where these conditions obtain, it will prove the salvation of herds and stock.

CHICAGO SHIVERING.

Chicago, Feb. 17.—Chicago is shivering today in the coldest weather of the season. The cold wave which descended upon the city yesterday increased in severity throughout the night and sent the mercury down to a point variously reported at from 10 to 15 degrees below zero. The latter temperature is reported unofficially from exposed suburbs which felt the full force of the fierce northwest wind. The official temperature in the city at 7 a. m. was 10 below. The intense cold practically cut the city off from telegraphic communication with the outside world during the early part of the day. Contraction of wires caused breakage in every direction and only intermittent service could be maintained.

Louisville, Ky., Feb. 17.—Following a thirty-six-hour rain and a half day's record-breaking snowfall, Louisville this morning experienced the coldest weather of the winter—one above zero.

Omaha, Neb., Feb. 17.—Extremely cold weather continued last night and this morning, the temperature again reaching 10 below zero. Trains from the west are generally late, some being several hours behind their schedule. The zero wave is general throughout the state, the eastern half of Iowa and the Dakotas. Slowly rising temperature is predicted.

Des Moines, Iowa, Feb. 17.—It was 9 below here this morning, one degree higher than the record for the winter. Difficulty is experienced in operating the electric lines.

West Superior, Wis., Feb. 17.—Yesterday's low temperature mark, which was the record for the winter, was reduced one degree this morning, the official observation at 6:40 showing 24 below.

St. Paul, Minn., Feb. 17.—Twenty below was the coldest of the temperature in this city during the night, a gain of four degrees in 24 hours. Higher temperatures are general throughout the northwest, indicating the breaking of the cold wave.

Milwaukee, Wis., Feb. 17.—Thermometers in this city registered from 10 to 16 below this morning, the coldest of the season. Low temperatures are general throughout the state.

KANSAS IS FREEZING.

Topeka, Kas., Feb. 17.—Following the heaviest snowstorm in years the temperature started out to break the record. It succeeded in reaching 12 below during the night. Clear sunshine weather today relieves the situation, however, and the official forecast points to a rising temperature. Fuel dealers report no danger of a coal famine.

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Hon. F. X. Schoonmaker in First of His Lectures at Wayne St. Church

Hon. F. X. Schoonmaker, of Chicago, distinguished as a traveler, writer and orator, addressed a fine audience at Wayne street M. E. church Monday evening, delivering his lecture, "China: the Shadow on the World." Mr. Schoonmaker did not reach the city until evening, having been delayed by snow-bound trains, and was compelled to go upon the platform almost immediately upon his arrival. For more than two hours he held the closest attention of his audience, speaking of the conditions and customs of the Chinese people, and giving a vast fund of information concerning this greatly misunderstood nation.

Mr. Schoonmaker, in opening, related the causes of many of the prejudices which obtain against the Chinese people and explained in the most natural fashion some of the customs which seem most peculiar to Americans. He referred to the slant eyes, the wearing of the pigtail, the custom of the Chinaman shaking his own hand instead of that of the person whom he meets, and why the family name of the Chinaman is always placed before the given name. He declared the popular supposition that the Chinaman ate rats was untrue, and that the idea came from the fact that the Chinese people feed somewhat upon a variety of squirrel which some have mistaken for a muskrat. The Chinese people believe man originated in that country and that the Chinaman was the first man. The speaker told of their cookery, explained that long nails were the infallible symbol of wealth, denied that the mothers killed their girl babes, and asserted that the baggy clothing of the Chinese arose from the sacredness with which the person is regarded in that country.

The Chinese people, said the speaker, have just come into a realization that their country is overpopulated; that agriculture can no longer be profitable from the fact that the land has already been over-cultivated, and that it is no longer capable of producing enough foodstuffs for that country. In looking about the world for a solution of the problem in the future, the Chinaman has settled upon the plan of England, which, when it became too densely populated, gave up the attempt at agriculture and turned its attention to manufactures in order to buy foodstuffs.

America is vitally interested in China's future, from the fact that it is the only land of sufficient agricultural extent to grow food sufficient for the orient, and that it is the most favorably situated to take advantage of the changing conditions in China. When the Chinese begin manufacturing extensively, they claim, the price of manufactured goods will decline perceptibly, but that America will be the gainer commercially from the fact that its agricultural products will find an instantaneous market at higher prices, and that land in America will be much higher in value.

The lecture was entertaining and instructive throughout. This evening Mr. Schoonmaker speaks at the Wayne Street M. E. church on "Art, Literature and Morality of China." Wednesday evening his subject will be "Christ and Confucius."

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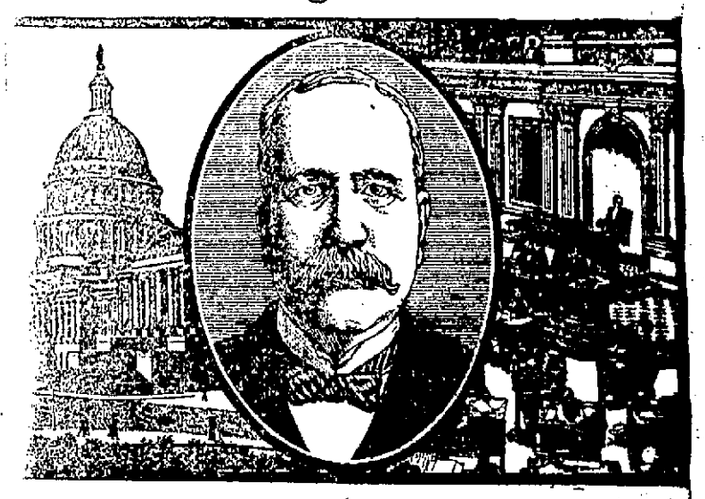
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BY E. A. K. HACKETT.

TUESDAY, FEB. 17, 1903.

TONIGHT.

Lodges—Grand Fraternity; Order of the Red Cross; Fort Wayne, No. 116, Knights of Pythias; Fort Wayne, No. 1, Daughters of Workmen; Edwards Camp, No. 3137, Modern Woodmen; Degree of Honor No. 2; Degree of Honor No. 29; Home No. 342, F. & and A. M.; Canton Fort Wayne, K. of P.; Lodge of Perfection, A. A. S. R.; Wayne No. 23, Degree of Honor; Fort Wayne No. 1, Fraternal.

Labor Unions—Plasterers, No. 70; Fort Wayne branch, Stonecutters; Clerks' No. 283.

Miscellaneous—Board of public safety; Allen County Medical society; roller skating at Princess rink; city council committee of the whole.

Lecture—Hon. F. X. Schoonmaker at Wayne Street M. E. church.

The coaling stations agreement with Cuba has been signed and it now remains to be seen to what extent the coal barons are going to demonstrate the use of it.

There comes from Indianapolis no further sounds as of ripping, but the governor still has his law and the reformatory board still holds a member or two whose absence will not thin the blood of the state executive.

The second cooking of the Sunday base ball bill probably has sizzled the measure to its inmost fiber. It is not likely to be heard from again during this session of the legislature, nor in any other soon, for the matter of that.

Addicks, the somewhat autocrat of Delaware, has issued a manifesto, a fit and proper thing for an autocrat to do. He bids the "regulars" to take their ten legislative votes and elect a senator if they can or to unite with the democrats and elect two, if they like. As for himself, he is willing to let the regulars get together with the union or Addicks crowd and take one senatorship and the Addicks faction the other—which other, when all is said and done, means Addicks.

Mr. Bryan indicates with a fair degree of clearness what democrats he does not approve of for the next nomination, which is not by several lengths as interesting as would be some indication as to what democrats he would approve of. If Mr. Bryan owes the party warning he also owes it direction. A year from this time tendencies in the party should begin to shape up with some distinctness. Mr. Bryan's usual candor could not be better employed than in indicating approximately who he is looking to. He has emphatically put himself out of consideration. His personal choice would be most interesting.

The Commercial club has decided to unite prudence to enterprise in its endeavors to secure factories for Fort Wayne and we doubt not that the combination will be found to work admirably. In other words, the club has determined that hereafter before undertaking the work of raising bonuses for factories, they must have some proof and guarantee that the factories will come after the bonuses are ready to deliver. The club has had rather doleful experience and much hard work that came to naught. A big concern that is at present negotiating for a site and cash donation will be brought here if it will come, but the promoters must do business according to the Missouri code.

Pursuit of the almighty dollar is going fast and far in this country, when thrift turns to the making of idols for heathen to worship. It is just learned that a Philadelphia firm has made a shipment of Buddhist idols to Korea. Ministers and missionaries in Philadelphia are much wrought up over the matter. It is a rather curious anomaly to see in the country that spends more money and furnishes more men and women than any other land on the globe for Christianizing heathen, also fostering an industry for providing these same heathen with wooden images to worship. It is a kind of money getting that has nothing about it to be called decent.

SAYS CARRIERS ARE OVERWORKED

Inspector Completes Postal Examination and Will Make a Report.

"There is no question but that the mail carriers in Fort Wayne are overworked. They are handling a heavy output of mail and have used every possible effort to make the deliveries promptly. In fact, the men have worked so hard that during the present winter two of them have received injuries from the strain. Postmaster Page, also, has used every possible effort to relieve the situation by making repeated applications to the department for additional clerks and carriers."

This was the statement made to The Sentinel this morning by the postoffice inspector, who has been in the city since Saturday making an investigation of the needs of the local postoffice. The representative of the department completed his work this morning, and at noon left for Ann Arbor, Mich. He declined to indicate the nature of his report to the department for the reason that he could not properly give it out before the report had been filed, but it is perhaps fair to infer from the statement above that the inspector's finding will be in favor of additional assistants in the Fort Wayne postoffice. The inspector stated that he had gone into the matter thoroughly, secured much data which would go into his report, and that the document would be an interesting one. The inspector substantiated the previous statement of Postmaster Page that there had been a complete delivery of all the mail in the office each day. The cases in which carriers had found it impossible to make the delivery within the prescribed time limit were in almost every case on the afternoon deliveries, and that in such cases the mail so carried over was invariably cleaned up the following morning, and was not permitted to accumulate.

A THOUSAND DOLLARS THROWN AWAY.

Mr. W. W. Baker, of Plainview, Neb., writes: "My wife had lung trouble for over fifteen years. We tried a number of doctors and spent over a thousand dollars without any relief. She was very low and I lost all hope, when a friend suggested trying Foley's Honey and Tar which I did; and thanks be to this great remedy, it saved her life. She is stronger and enjoys better health than she has ever known in ten years. We shall never be without Foley's Honey and Tar and would ask those afflicted to try it." Sold by Dreier & Bro.

MISSIONARY FROM AFRICA.

Rev. Mr. Gardner, a missionary who has been laboring in the Congo region in Africa, will speak at the Home mission, 118 East Columbia street, this evening at 7:30. Mr. Gardner will return to his field of labor in April.

Mrs. J. W. Goodyear, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Blitz, returned yesterday to her home at Bluffton.

WESSEL CASE HAS BEEN CONTINUED

Judge Finds Fact as Charged --Midwife Has No License --The Police News.

The continued case of Louise Wessel, charged with practicing midwifery without a license, was called this morning in the municipal court. The entry on the court's docket is a rather remarkable one and reads as follows: "Evidence heard. Court finds that said defendant is practicing without license and case continued on own recognizance."

Mrs. Wessel was then allowed to go, the court telling her that she should establish that she had been practicing for ten years and that a license could not be refused her. Health Commissioner Macbeth takes a different view of the case and was disappointed at the finding of the court. "If she is practicing without a license and contrary to law, it seems to me she should have been fined," said Dr. Macbeth, "even though the fine had been a nominal one, and I do not understand why the judge should make a record that she was guilty and then continue the case indefinitely. I have nothing personally against Mrs. Wessel, but when I know that she was turned down by the state board of registration as an unfit person to practice it seems strange to me that a local judge should give her permission to go ahead. Of course, I am not a lawyer, but I do claim to know what the requirements of a practitioner are. Maybe the health department will never have any more trouble with the defendant, and then again maybe it will. I know that I will be compelled to file other affidavits and will have no precedent to rely on. The department had the same trouble with violaters of the milk ordinance. When a milkman is fined 25 cents for violating the milk ordinances and the city attorney comes in and throws off his fees, the milkman pays his dollar or so and proceeds to sell a hundred dollars' worth more of water and weak milk before he is brought up again, and smiles to himself. If he was fined $20 or $25 and had no fees thrown off he would be a little more careful and the milk consumer would be benefited."

Health Commissioner Macbeth did not intimate what further action he would take, but said that he was considerably discouraged at trying to enforce the law when he could see no encouragement from the bench.

POLICE NOTES.

Several reports of unusually high gas pressure were again reported by the night police. At the corner of Madison and Harmer streets a family named Newcomer is reported to have narrowly escaped asphyxiation, although nothing serious resulted.

The woman who was sent out of town by Trustee Schirmeyer yesterday turns out to be Lizzie Mitchell, the more or less famous female tramp. Lizzie showed up at Huntington yesterday and after relating her story there was given an hour to get out of town. She made the time inside of the limit.

The police officers were this morning given positive orders to file affidavits against all persons who failed to have the snow removed from in front of their premises by nightfall. The city hall sidewalks are now free from snow and the city officers feel that it is time to make citizens generally obey the law. It's a pretty safe proposition though, that no affidavits will be filed tomorrow morning.

The officer on the beat was called to the laundry of Willie Lacn, the Americanized Chinaman at the corner of Lafayette and Lewis streets, last evening, where it was supposed that a fire had started. The laundryman explained that he had no gas and had lighted a lot of paper to heat up things and give him a little light. The officer reported the language of the Chinaman in the following words: "I got no gassee an' I burn papee; makee lightee and warmee and now all-a-rightee." The patrolman concluded his report by saying: "I told him he'd have plenty of gas in the good old summer time."

Horstman Brothers, the liverymen, last evening let a young man have a horse and cutter to take his girl out for a sleigh ride. Several hours later the young man returned and stated that he and his girl had just got back to the city. He stated further that about four miles out of town they had bumped into a snowdrift and both had been dumped into the cold world and since they had not seen anything of the horse or cutter. This morning the matter was reported at police headquarters, but the horse has not been found.

A REMARKABLE CASE.

This evening at the regular meeting of the Allen County Medical society there will be exhibited a remarkable case of brain injury, in which a large bullet passed the entire length of the skull through the center of the brain. The case is a remarkable one and has been exhibited before medical societies and colleges all over the country.

WILL GIVE A BAZAAR.

Allen lodge, No. 29, Degree of Honor, will hold a two days' bazaar at Elektron hall next week, the opening being on Tuesday. The ladies are engaged in getting up the entertainment program and looking after other details. This entertainment was to have been given a week ago, but circumstances made a postponement adviseable.

CHICK STAHL IS SICK.

"Chick" Stahl, outfielder for the Boston American league ball team, has been confined to his room for a week with an attack of the grip. His condition is slightly improved and he will soon be on the streets again.

CITY BREVITIES.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Federspeil spent Sunday with friends at New Haven.

R. S. Robertson, jr., left yesterday for Paducah, Ky., after a visit with friends in the city.

Mrs. Ike Weil, who was visiting in Milwaukee last week, returned to her home in this city last evening.

Harmony lodge No. 19, I. O. O. F., will confer the second degree upon three candidates Thursday evening.

E. L. Lathrop left today for an extended trip through Georgia in the interest of the Indiana Road Machine company.

James S. Shortle, of Indianapolis, is in the city. He is a representative of I. F. Wild & Co., bankers and dealers in municipal bonds.

The Luther society of St. John's Lutheran church will hold a session in their hall on Washington boulevard this evening. An interesting time has been prepared for and is assured.

Invitations have been received for the thirty-eighth annual convocation of the Scottish Rite at Indianapolis March 24, 25 and 26. Lieutenant Governor Gilbert is a member of the committee on reception.

The Hoodoo club enjoyed a valentine party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Jenness, on East Wayne street, Saturday evening. The young people played hearts, and the prizes were captured by Paul Preston and Miss Junia Ross. The club will enjoy a sleighing party Thursday evening of this week.

All persons who subscribed for Rev. Dr. Wharton's books while the evangelist was in the city can get the same by calling at The Sentinel counting rooms. Also any persons desiring copies of Dr. Wharton's book, "Mother, Home and Jesus," embracing many of Dr. Wharton's afternoon discourses here, can procure them at the same place, for 25 cents each.

The ladies of the J. F. F. club were entertained Saturday afternoon at a surprise party given by Miss Bertha Cour at her home in honor of her mother's birthday anniversary. The afternoon was spent in playing games and listening to piano selections given by Miss Carrie Cour. At 5 o'clock luncheon was served. Mrs. Cour was the recipient of several beautiful and useful gifts.

Dr. W. W. Shryock, of this city, conducted an important clinic before the meeting of dentists in Chicago yesterday in the presence of practitioners from all parts of the United States and Canada. The subject of his clinic was "Porcelain Inlaying," and demonstrated one of the most recent and important discoveries in dentistry, that of filling teeth with porcelain. Dr. Shryock will return tomorrow.

APPETITE COAXING

Not Necessary When Proper Food is Used.

Coaxing up an appetite is hard work and unnecessary when a little thought is given to scientific feeding.

Fill the stomach with the wrong stuff and it is not long before the palate, too, is affected and even the sight of food is nauseating. Stomach and nervous ills of all kinds soon come and the body is left without nourishment.

Then take on Grape-Nuts for a few days and see the difference. Eating is no longer a duty, but a delight, for the food is made of the proper grains, prepared in a natural, scientific manner and the flavor is delicious. The case of a schoolma'am of Cedar Mills, Minn., is interesting. She writes: "I used to go without lunch many a day, not finding it tasty. In consequence I usually had a severe headache before the afternoon session was over and felt nervous and cross.

"I had almost concluded to give up teaching on this account, when a friend induced me to try Grape-Nuts. I will say frankly I did not care for it at first, but tried it two or three times and then found myself beginning to enjoy the crisp, nutty flavor.

"The food has changed the order of my life. I carry it for lunch every day now. The color has come back to my cheeks and lips and I have no more headaches or nervous spells.

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It was the board of deacons of the Third Presbyterian church and not of the First Presbyterian church that gave $10 to the fund for relief of the famine sufferers of Finland. The announcement in yesterday's Sentinel was erroneous.

Attorney H. G. Keegan is in Chicago on a professional trip.

A REMARKABLE ENTERPRISE

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The object in pursuing this course is to become rapidly and personally acquainted with the sick and afflicted, and under no conditions will any charge whatever be made for any service rendered for three months, to all who call before February 28.

The doctors treat all forms of disease and deformities, and guarantee a cure in every case they undertake. At the first interview a thorough examination is made, and, if incurable, you are frankly and kindly told so also advised against spending your money for useless treatment.

Male and female weakness, catarrh and catarrhal deafness, also rupture, goitre, cancer, all blood and skin diseases, all diseases of the rectum, and the drug habits, are positively cured by their new treatment.

The chief associate surgeon of the institute is in personal charge.

Office hours: 9 to 12, 2 to 5, 7 to 8.

SPECIAL NOTICE—If you cannot call send stamp for question blank for home treatment.



SOUTH BEND BREWER LIVES ON PRISON FARE

Muessel Lived on Prison Fare and Declined Dainties Sent By Friends.

Anderson, Ind., Feb. 17.—President Walter G. Muessel, of the Muessel Brewing company, of South Bend, a prisoner at the county jail, declined hotel dinners that were suggested to him by friends, Sunday, and partook of the usual meal served to prisoners on Sunday. He assured his friends that he is not suffering, and that he will soon be out and will return with them to his home. Mr. Muessel induced his wife and niece to return to South Bend Sunday.

A motion for a new trial for Muessel will be made in the circuit court during the week. T. E. Howard, former judge of the Indiana supreme court; Prosecuting Atttorney George Clark, of St. Joseph county, and Judge Feldman, of South Bend, are here today as counsel for Mr. Muessel, and they have retained Judge M. A. Chipman, of this city.

Mr. Clark said that a greater surprise was never caused in South Bend than when the word came from this city that Mr. Muessel had been convicted of perjury and was locked up.

Muessel held a mortgage on the furnishings of a hotel at South Bend, which burned two years ago. There was insurance of $1,000 which, it was said, was to go toward paying off the mortgage. Muessel foreclosed the mortgage and in court swore that he had not received the insurance and obtained judgment for the full amount of the mortgage. It was charged later that the insurance money had been paid to Muessel.

WILL GIVE A PLAY.

"A Delicate Question," an original comedy drama in four acts, is the bill underlined for Sunday evening, the 22d, to be presented by the St. Peter's Dramatic club in the St. Peter's school hall. The play is said to be quite interesting and in fact one of the most successful comedies ever played by amateurs. Back of all the fun, however, an interesting and pathetic story is told, which holds the eager attention of the audience to the last word. The question discussed in "A Delicate Question"—the saloon question—is one which is uppermost in every community. The moral is pointed out without a line of preaching and is as interesting as it is amusingly developed.

The St. Peter's Dramatic club has been exceptionally successful with the various plays presented by them heretofore, but nevertheless they propose that this play shall eclipse anything ever presented by them in the past. The cast is also exceptionally strong and is as follows:

Ezra Meeker, the henpecked.....
.....Joseph Walker
"Mariar," the henpecker.....
.....Miss Carrie Herber
Zachariah Smarden, the reformer..
.....John Wessel
Will Goodall, the hired man.....
.....Louis Kirchoff
Elsie Meeker, the choir leader....
.....Miss Frances Alter
Harry Meeker, the blacksheep....
.....Email C. Bail
Lem Davis, the saloonkeeper.....
.....Chas. Freiburger
Ben Spradling, the mayor.....
.....Jacob Koehl
Seth Soper, the postmaster.....
.....Jacob Koehl
Tom Barton, the police force.....
.....John Lerch
Jaggsy, the town "bum".....
.....Bernard Harber
Pickles, the bound girl.....
.....Miss Modesti Fisen

MAY HAVE THE PLAGUE.

Palma, Island of Majorca, Feb. 17.—The Italian bark Iris, from Pensacola, No. 18, for Marseilles, has put into the bay of Palmas with several of those on board the vessel suffering from what is believed to be the bubonic plague. Two of the crew died during the voyage.

Dr. C. M. Corns has as his guest his sister, Mrs. J. W. Tippy, of Dayton.

Mr. Ziemendorff,
19 Wagner St., Fort Wayne, writes:
"I take great pleasure in recommending Paracamph for burns, cuts, swellings and all inflammations. It not only relieves instantly, but quickly heals and cures. I consider it a most valuable household remedy, and think every family should keep a bottle in their home."
Mr. Ziemendorff purchased Paracamph from Meyer Bros. & Co.
Every bottle of Paracamph is guaranteed to do just what we claim for it.

DELUGED BY STEAM AND HOT WATER

Radiator Valve in Fox Building Lets Go, Driving Office Men Out.

There were some extremely lively doings about the offices of the Heit-Miller-Lau company in the Fox building at Calhoun and Jefferson streets at 7:30 o'clock today, when the valve of the steam radiator let go, deluging the room with steam and scalding water, and sent the staff office employes scampering out of the room to a place of safety.

The incident occured shortly after the beginning of the day's business, and many people passing along the street were attracted by the noise and the sight of clouds of escaping steam and hurried to the scene fearing an extensive boiler explosion and perhaps much damage.

Owing to the intensely cold weather it was neccessary to carry a much heavier pressure of steam in the boilers than is usually needed. Under the strain of the added load the valve in a radiator located near the office entrance, blew out with a loud report. Instantly the room was filled by a dense cloud of steam, which had been released, and with it came a terrific spurt of scalding hot water that played in a seething fountain, spurted to the ceiling and came down in a deluge which completely soaked everything about it. Employes, failing to realize what had happened, hurried to the street to escape being scalded by steam and water.

Within a few moments the cause of the trouble was located, and the steam was shut off at the supply pipe, which feeds the big radiators. Nobody was injured, but some damage was done to stationery and other goods stored in the forward end of the room.

SALOONS HAD A SCARE.

Muncie, Ind., Feb. 17.—For the first time in many months the saloon business was pulled up short yesterday. Private detectives arrested one saloonkeeper when word of it spread to other places, when the doors were soon locked. It is not known who is behind the movement.

Foreign brewing firms have begun warfare against the Muncie Brewing company, which has not yet placed its product on the market, offering unusual inducements to local dealers to handle only foreign beer. The Muncie company will furnish ice to dealers without cost.

CITY BREVITIES.

Mrs. I. Weil has returned from a visit at Milwaukee.

Mrs. William Hulse was hostess for the Unity club last evening.

Mrs. Gifford was hostess for the Pickwick club this afternoon at her home, 427 Baker street.

Dr. C. R. Price, one of the interues at Hope hospital, is suffering from measles. He is in quarantine.

Mrs. William Auman gave a supper Sunday evening in honor of Mrs. Andrew Bohn, of Frazer, Mich.

Miss Hattie Cave, who has spent several months in the city, has returned to her home in Antwerp, Ohio.

Mrs. Laura O'Neill and daughter, Miss Esther, left yesterday for Dayton, Ohio, where they will make their future home.

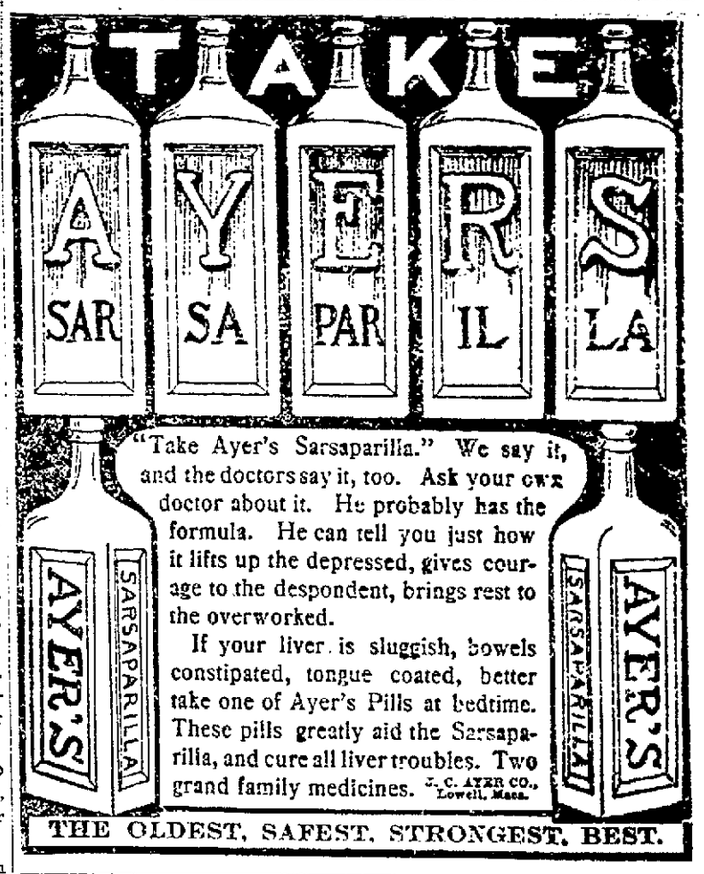
Orville Dodge, of Washington, who has been visiting friends in the city, left yesterday on a trip to his former home in Oregon.

John B. Lassus, who suffered an attack of paralysis some weeks ago, has recovered sufficiently to leave St. Joseph's hospital and return to his home. Mr. Lassus has recovered his power of speech, but is very nearly helpless.

In the blinding snow storm Sunday afternoon a sleigh from the Horstman livery barns and driven by Frank Bardey was upset in a ditch east of the city. The horse broke away and has not yet been located. None of the occupants of the sleigh were injured.

Mr. and Mrs. E. I. Boester entertained a company of friends at a valentine party Saturday evening in a delightful manner. Partners in progressive pedro were selected by matching comic valentines. High prizes were won by George Woebbeking and Miss Alma Proegler, while the consolations went to Mrs. Fibswell and Harry Foshack.

The twentieth birthday anniversary of Walter Dierker, a student at Concordia college, was pleasantly celebrated Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Doenges. Nearly fifty guests were present and at 11 o'clock a luncheon was served. In the guessing contest prizes were won by the Misses Anna Scherer and Nora Bitzinger and Carl Roeper and Ernest Eggers.



TIPTON SHEEP DYING.

Tipton, Ind., Feb. 17.—Sheep men of Tipton county report that their sheep are dying by the score, death being caused by a worm resembling a grub-worm. The worm is first noticed in the wool on the head, and later on eats its way into the sheep's head through the ears. A sheep lives only a few days after the appearance of the worm, and during that time the animal refuses food and water. So far only old sheep have been affected by the peculiar worm, the younger ones seemingly being immunes.

Foley's Honey and Tar is best for croup and whooping cough, contains no opiates, and cures quickly. Careful mothers keep it in the house. Sold by Dreier & Bro.

GAS METERS AT ELWOOD.

Elwood, Ind., Feb. 17.—The order of the new gas company, that meters should be securely boxed in double-lined, air-tight cases, to prevent the contrivances from freezing, has caused no end of ridicule among consumers. Some suggest that the meters should be bronzed and set upon the mantel by the clock, or placed upon the piano. The company offered to place the meters without expense to consumers.

A WEAK STOMACH

causes a weak body and invites disease. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure cures and strengthens the stomach and wards off and overcomes disease. J. B. Taylor, a prominent merchant of Chriesman, Tex., says: "I could not eat because of a weak stomach. I lost all strength and run down in weight. All that money could do was done, but all hope of recovery vanished. Hearing of some wonderful cures effected by the use of Kodol, I concluded to try it. The first bottle benefited me, and after taking four bottles I am fully restored to my usual strength, weight and health." Meyer Bros. & Co.

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All $1.75 Goods, now . . . **$1.50**
All $1.50 Goods, now . . . **$1.35**
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All $1.00 Goods, now . . . **90c**

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Lost Manhood and all its attending ailments, both young, middle aged and old men. The awful effects of early indiscretions, producing weakness, nervous debility, night emissions, exhausting drains, pimples, bashfulness, loss of energy and weakness of both body and brain.

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New jokes, latest songs, big military band, solo orchestra. Don't miss it. Note the date.

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WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 18.

The Pastoral Melodrama of Indiana Life,

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A play for everybody and not a dull moment.

Prices—25c, 50c, 75c; box seats, $1.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 19

25c 35c 50c "A THOROUGHBRED TRAMP"

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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 20.
The Big Musical Comedy,

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Gorgeous Costumes,
Sparkling Music,
Magnificent Scenery,
A Prize Beauty Chorus.

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100 artists, big and small, in the company. Special Prince of Pilsen Orchestra.

The original cast of principals and chorus intact. Direct from a triumphant

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Vinol Promptly Overcomes Weakness.

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OUR VINOL IS A STRENGTH CREATOR.

The saddest sight on earth is a broken-down man or woman.

We see such people every day right here in our city.

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We have known of many very serious cases of debility quickly overcome by Vinol.

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We could quote many instances where Vinol has done good; as an example, here is one coming from Jane S. Fenfren, a prominent member of the W. C. T. U., and a resident of Suncook, N. H. She writes:

"I was run down, was in bed from May to March. Was so nervous and sickly that every one thought I was in a most precarious condition. My weight was reduced to 120 pounds. I was advised to take Vinol, which I did, and am now very much better, and am able to be about again. As a rebuilder and a strength giver nothing can equal it. Vinol is a God-blessing to anybody."

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CURES CATARRH

"HYOMEI THE MOST WONDERFUL CURE FOR CATARRH EVER DISCOVERED," SAYS MAYOR YARD.

Do not try to cure catarrh by taking drugs into the stomach; it cannot be cured in that manner. The only way in which this too common disease can be cured is through a direct application that will kill the bacilli of catarrh and prevent their growth.

Hyomei is the only known method of treatment that accomplishes this. It is the simplest, most pleasant and the only absolute cure for catarrh that has ever been discovered.

Thousands of unsolicited testimonials have been received from the most prominent men and women in the country who have been cured by this remarkable remedy. Ministers, bankers, lawyers, even eminent physicians have sent strong testimonials as to the remarkable powers of Hyomei to cure catarrh.

Former Mayor Emory M. Yard, of Trenton, N. J., writes: "You have my permission to say that I believe 'Hyomei' to be one of the most wonderful cures for catarrh and throat trouble that has ever been discovered. In my case the effect has been marvelous. I enclose you money order for two outfits for friends of mine to whom I have recommended 'Hyomei' and who I am anxious shall have the benefit of this remarkable panacea."

The complete Hyomei outfit costs but $1.00, consisting of an inhaler, dropper and sufficient Hyomei to last over a month. This will effect a cure in ordinary cases, but for chronic and deep-seated cases of catarrh longer use is necessary, and then extra bottles of Hyomei (a month's treatment) can be obtained for 50c. It is not alone the best (it might be called the only) method of curing catarrh, but it is also the most economical.

Meyer Bros. & Co. have so much confidence in the power of Hyomei to cure catarrh that they will, for a limited time, sell this medicine under their personal guarantee to refund the money if the purchasers can say that it did not help them.

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GLASSES ADJUSTED.

GOLDEN WEDDING IS CELEBRATED

Mr. and Mrs. August J. Martin Married Half Century—A Daughter Weds Today.

A pretty and altogether unusual ceremony was witnessed at the Cathedral this morning at 9 o'clock, Rev. Father Patrick H. Roche being the officiating clergyman. At that hour Mr. and Mrs. August J. Martin, of Spy Run avenue, formally celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their wedding by again clasping hands and renewing the vows they made to each other and kept inviolate fifty years ago. Immediately following this touching ceremony came the marriage of their youngest daughter, Josephine Marie Martin, to Thomas J. Kehoe. The wedding was followed by a breakfast served at the handsome residence of Mr. and Mrs. Martin, at 104 Spy Run avenue, to which over fifty of the immediate family were seated.

Few men enjoy a wider acquaintance in Allen county than Mr. Martin and none enjoy the respect of their fellow men to a higher degree. Mr. Martin was born in France 73 years ago and removed to the United States at the age of 13 with his parents. In 1845 he came to Fort Wayne, then a struggling town, and soon after settled on a farm in Perry township, about a mile or so north of Academie church, where he engaged in farming with his father. He still owns the same farm, which is one of the most highly improved farms in the county. Here, on February 17, 1853, he was married to Miss Josephine Rassat by Rev. Father Bessonies, one of the pioneer Catholic missionaries. On that same farm, until a few years ago, he lived, worked and reared his family. Several years ago Mr. Martin, after living on the farm for forty-four years, concluded that he had acquired a sufficient competence to assure him rest for the remainder of his years and so he removed to the city, having purchased the handsome brick residence at the corner of Spy Run avenue and Wagner street. Mr. Martin owns several farms in adjoining townships and has acquired considerable property in the city. He was formerly a political power, but recently has retired from politics, although his advice is still much sought, especially by his native countrymen, of whom there is a large colony in Perry and Jefferson townships.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin were the parents of nine children, eight of whom are still living. They are Frank and Julius, of Perry township; Alexander A., the well known Fort Wayne liveryman; Henry, of St. Joseph township; Nestor, a member of the Fort Wayne fire department; August, of Washington township; Mrs. Frank Laurent, of Montpelier, Ind., and Miss Josephine Marie, the youngest daughter, who was married to T. J. Kehoe today. There are twenty-six grandchildren and three great grandchildren, and all of them were seated at the breakfast table today.

SEEK A MISSING MAN.

Friends of C. C. Noragon, a Butler young man, who disappeared two weeks ago, were in the city yesterday endeavoring to get trace of him. Noragon is 20 years of age, and was in Fort Wayne February 2, when he spent the night at the Randall hotel. He left without giving any information as to his destination, and the hotel people were able to shed no light upon his present whereabouts.

NAMED IT NOCTURNE.

A business meeting of the new musical organization was held last evening at the Anthony Wayne club, and the report of the committee on constitution and by-laws was adopted. The club will be known as the Nocturne, and its program meetings, eight in number each year, will be given beginning in May. The officers elected are: Charles McCulloch, president; Mrs. Theodore Ruhland, vice president; Fred Urbahns, secretary and treasurer.

MORE PLAYERS SIGNED.

Signed contracts were received by President Mautner yesterday for three additional players for the Fort Wayne Central League base ball team. They are Stanley Arthur, of New Vienna, Ohio, who caught for Des Moines in the Western league last year; William Hopke, of Cleveland, a shortstop in the North Carolina league last season, and Ray Tate, an outfielder, of Greenville, Pa., an Eastern league man.

NECK SHAVES ARE EXTRA.

The Barbers' union at a meeting Monday evening decided that after April 1 a charge of 5 cents additional must be made for shaving the necks of customers. Ed Steiss, state secretary of the Barbers' union, was present and announced that a substitute had been prepared for the barbers' bill which was recently defeated in the state senate.

IN NORTHERN INDIANA.

Mrs. Mary S. Collins, 72 years of age, is dead at Portland.

Mrs. Katherine Baker, 76 years of age, died Monday at Goshen.

Mrs. Jacob Ramp, of Columbia City, died Sunday evening at the age of 74 years.

Miss Katie Kriss, aged 19, and Willard R. Lowe, 58, have just been married at Winamac.

Ora W. Kidd, of Muncie, 21 years of age, dropped dead in a saloon at Hartford City Saturday afternoon.

Kendallville has just sold $20,000 worth of 4½ per cent. city bonds, to run 9 years, at a premium of $1,427.

Bud Miller, of Bluffton, who threatened to kill his aged mother and burn her home, has been adjudged insane.

E. B. Becler, J. E. Kern, H. J. Hrsch, C. L. Walters and R. A. Ehinger will establish a factory at Decatur for the manufacture of men's pants.

Phildon Romine, 89 years of age, and one of the oldest citizens of Kosciusko county, died Sunday on a farm near Mentone, where he had lived for 65 years.

The main building of the Tri-State Normal school at Angola, was slightly damaged by fire Monday evening. It originated from one of the flues, and the loss will not exceed $500.

Ten Churubusco young men who started out for a high old time one evening recently came to grief. Three made their escape, but six were arrested and found guilty of rioting.

At Huntington Ollie Seber was sentenced to the reformatory at Jeffersonville for from two to fourteen years and fined $1,000 for assaulting an Italian woman who conducts a fruit stand there.

F. D. Smith, of Huntington county, who shot McCoy Lassiter, in Jefferson township, Whitley county, in May last, when the latter found Smith in company with Mrs. Lassiter, is now on trial at Columbia City, charged with assault with intent to kill.

HAS LARGE MEMBERSHIP.

The annual meeting of the Bruederliche Unterstuetzungs Verein was held last evening, resulting in the following choice of officials:

President— Charles H. Buck.
Vice President—Alfred Kramer.
Recording Secretary—W. C. Baade.
Financial Secretary—Henry Guenther.
Treasurer—Henry P. Scherer.
Trustee for Three Years—Herman Witte.

The society is a beneficial organization, with insurance features, and has a membership of 733. During the past year 99 new members were admitted, and the organization is in excellent shape.

Attorney H. I. Smith, who has been a patient at St. Joseph's hospital, is improving rapidly. Mr. Smith has been suffering from congestion of the lungs.

PAINE'S CELERY COMPOUND

The Great Nerve Builder and Blood Purifier.

A REMARKABLE RESTORATION TO HEALTH AFTER FAILURES OF PHYSICIANS.

Fully half of the indisposed, weakly and sick people around us are victims of nerve troubles and unhealthy blood. They seem to forget one important fact, "that the nerves regulate the blood supply through the body." It is now an accepted truth that upon the action of the nerves depend health and happiness. Diseased and flabby nerves bring on insomnia, dyspepsia, headache, prostration, irritability, and lassitude; these in due course cause more serious ills. Paine's Celery Compound is the only medicine that can bestow a full and lasting measure of health to men and women who suffer from nerve and blood troubles. This wonderful agent feeds, nourishes and strengthens all the nerve centers, purifies and enriches the blood, tones the stomach, and invigorates the entire nervous system. Miss Mary Dahl, Richville, Mich., writes thus:

"For two years I have suffered with dyspepsia, debilitated nervous system, and palpitation of the heart. I had an awful bad feeling in my stomach, and a bad taste in my mouth. I tried three different physicians but could gain no relief from any of them. At last I heard of Paine's Celery Compound, used it, and owe my restoration to health to my use of that grand medicine. I only took four bottles, and it cured me."

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These dyes color any kind of cloth any color. Any good cloth can be dyed a fresh, rich color and cut over for the boy's suit.

Direction book and 45 dyed samples free.

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SENATOR FLEMING ABOUT TO RETIRE

Indianapolis Paper Says He Will Devote Himself to Business Affairs.

(Indianapolis News.)

State Senator Stephen B. Fleming, when he has finished his term in the senate, will retire from politics and will in the future give all of his time to his private affairs. He is not in accord with his party on corporation questions. He will retire as a member of the democratic state central committee and as chairman for the Twelfth congressional district.

Senator Fleming is connected with more business affairs than any one man in Indiana, so far as has been ascertained. He is a director in three banks, is largely interested in electric lines, is the owner of considerable stock in several steam railroads, is either director or officer in gas companies, strawboard companies, waterworks companies, paper manufacturing companies, wholesale and retil stores, breweries and has offices in New York, Fort Wayne, St. Louis, Kansas City and other points. The greater part of this week he will be looking after affairs in New York and Connecticut, and from there will go to Kansas City.

Senator Fleming, when asked concerning the report, said that it is true that he will, after March 9, be out of politics, and will give all his time to his business affairs. His idea is to have one central office and not be compelled to run over the country. An intimate friend of the senator said:

"Mr. Fleming is breaking down his health and injuring his eyes by his multitudious duties, and he has no time for politics. But there is another matter that has caused him to take the stand he has.

"All of his great wealth is invested in affairs of corporations, and for some time Mr. Fleming has not been in accord with the democratic party in its attitude toward corporations. A fight has been made against him by some of the anti-corporation leaders of his party and, though Fleming has won out in every struggle, he is tired of the whole thing and believes he can drop politics easier than he can his corporation interests."

Senator Fleming admitted that the reasons set forth by his friend had much to do with his retirement.

MINERS ON STRIKE.

Victoria, B. C., Feb. 17.—The miners of Nanaimo have gone on strike. About 800 men went out today against the Western Fuel company, of San Francisco, which recently acquired the mines at Nanaimo. The miners are asking for a general advance from March 1 from 75 to 80 cents a ton, 25 cents per day for using safety lamps, claiming that coal cannot be got under as quickly with the safety lamps, and also asked for more pay —$1 a ton— for mining in the lower lever, which runs under the sea.

CURES RHEUMATISM AND CATARRH—MEDICINE SENT FREE.

These two diseases are the result of an awful poisoned condition of the blood. If you have aching joints and back, shoulder blades, bone pains, crippled hands, legs or feet, swollen muscles, shifting, sharp biting pains, and that tired, discouraged feeling of rheumatism, or the hawking, spitting, blurred eyesight, deafness, sick stomach, headache, noises in the head, mucous throat discharges, decaying teeth, bad breath, belching gas of catarrh, take Botanic Blood Balm (B. B. B.) It kills the poison in the blood which causes these awful symptoms, giving a pure, healthy blood supply to the joints and mucous membranes, and makes a perfect cure of the worst rheumatism or foulest catarrh. Cures where all else fails. Blood Balm (B. B. B.) is composed of pure Botanic ingredients, good for weak kidneys. Improves the digestion, cures dyspepsia. A perfect tonic for old folks by giving them new, rich, pure blood. Thoroughly tested for thirty years. Druggists, $1 per large bottle, with complete directions for home cure. Sample free and prepaid by writing Blood Balm Co., Atlanta, Ga. Describe trouble and special free medical advice sent in sealed letter. Sold in Fort Wayne by Ranke & Nussbaum, 828 Calhoun street.

Twenty candidates received the first degree of the Knights of Columbus last evening, and a social session followed the degree work.

Mothers can safely give Foley's Honey and Tar to their children for coughs and colds, for it contains no opiates or other poisons. Sold by Dreier & Bro.

Sixth Grand Annual Prize Masquerade given by the Turnverein Vorwaerts at Saengerbund Hall, Shrove Tuesday, Feb. 24. Seventeen Valuable Prizes. Admission Fifty Cents a couple. Feb. 5-10-17-23



A prominent club woman, Mrs. Danforth, of St. Joseph, Mich., tells how she was cured of falling of the womb and its accompanying pains and misery by **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.**

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—Life looks dark indeed when a woman feels that her strength is fading away and she has no hopes of ever being restored. Such was my feeling a few months ago when I was advised that my poor health was caused by prolapsus or **falling of the womb.** The words sounded like a knell to me, I felt that my sun had set; but **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound** came to me as an elixir of life; it restored the lost forces and built me up until my good health returned to me. For four months I took the medicine daily and each dose added health and strength. I am so thankful for the help I obtained through its use."—MRS. FLORENCE DANFORTH, 1007 Miles Ave., St. Joseph, Mich.

A medicine that has restored so many women to health and can produce proof of the fact must be regarded with respect. This is the record of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, which cannot be equalled by any other medicine the world has ever produced. Here is another case:—



"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—For years I was troubled with falling of the womb, irregular and painful menstruation, leucorrhœa, bearing-down pains, backache, headache, dizzy and fainting spells, and stomach trouble.

"I doctored for about five years but did not seem to improve. I began the use of your medicine, and have taken seven bottles of **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound,** three of Blood Purifier, and also used the Sanative Wash and Liver Pills, and am now enjoying good health, and have gained in flesh. I thank you very much for what you have done for me, and heartily recommend your medicine to all suffering women."—MISS EMMA SNYDER, 218 East Center St., Marion, Ohio.

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Women would save time and much sickness if they would write to Mrs. Pinkham for advice as soon as any distressing symptoms appear. It is free, and has put thousands of women on the right road to recovery.

Mrs. Pinkham never violates the confidence thus entrusted to her, and although she publishes thousands of testimonials from women who have been benefited by her advice and medicine, never in all her experience has she published such a letter without the full consent, and often by special request of the writer.

$5000 FORFEIT if we cannot forthwith produce the original letters and signatures of above testimonials, which will prove their absolute genuineness.
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Miss Vina O'Meara and Miss Mcy Habley will be the guests of Miss Dora O'Meara for a few days.

Master Paul Taylor, who has been ill with scarlet fever, has recovered sufficiently to be about again.

FUN AHEAD

In the Furniture Business.

SPECIAL SALE OF FINE FURNITURE SAMPLES FROM THE FURNITURE EXPOSITION.

ANOTHER GREAT SALE LIKE THE ONE THAT CAUSED SO MUCH EXCITEMENT LAST FEBRUARY.

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GOODS WILL BE SHOWN ON SECOND FLOOR IN OUR CARPET ROOM.

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Thursday morning, Feb. 19, we shall sell a lot of beautiful samples from the Furniture Exposition of the lines of goods above mentioned, at about half prices. These goods will be sold for cash only, but we will agree to call it cash if paid within 30 days, and in the case of Wabash and Nickel Plate employes we will give them until after their March pay day. These goods will be found Thursday morning, as early as seven o'clock, displayed on the floor of our carpet room, and the sale will be continued all day. They will be marked in plain figures, so that you can wait upon yourselves if you prefer. Carpet buyers are asked to help us out by not coming to buy carpets on Thursday.

A FEW PRICES.

Upholstered Parlor Chairs, worth $4, for $1.85.

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Very expensively Covered Parlor Chairs and Rockers at $3, $5, $7, $9, $11 and $12, worth just about double. Freshen up your parlor with one of these. You will never get another such a chance.

Parlor Divans, $5.50, worth $10.

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Parlor Suits, $10, worth $20.

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Lots of still finer ones at $15, $20, $25 and $30.

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One fine Solid Oak Bedroom Suit worth $50, for $23.50.

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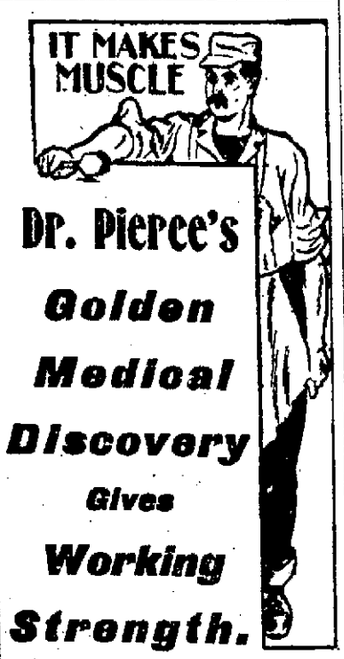
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Dr. Miles' Nervine Put Me On Active List.

Are you well? Do you sleep well? Do you get up rested, fresh and vigorous? Is your mind clear and active? If not read the following. See what another has suffered and how he recovered.

"Some years ago I was afflicted with sun stroke which left me with a shattered nervous system and exceedingly poor health. I suffered terribly with pain in my head, the top of my head would feel hot. I could not study, and after striving for two years to wear the trouble off, I was compelled to give up my pastoral labor and retire to my farm where I spent nearly two years trying to recuperate. It was all of no avail. Physicians' treatment and patent medicines failed to relieve me. I was exceedingly nervous and irritable and sometimes would shake terribly. I could not bear any noise. At the least excitement the blood would rush to my face and head. Two years ago I was induced to try Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine. After using one bottle I could see improvement in my condition so I continued taking it for nearly a year. I am happy to say I no longer have those pains in my head or nervous spells. My appetite is good and I am able to preach three times on Sunday without fatigue. I consider Dr. Miles' Nervine the most wonderful medicine ever discovered."—Rev. D. Alex. Holman, Pastor U. B. Church, Marion, Ind.

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A NEW LAW FIRM STARTS IN MARCH

James B. Harper and John W. Eggemann Have Formed Legal Co-partnership

Harper & Eggemann will be the title of a new law firm which will begin business in Fort Wayne March 1, and while the partnership is a new one each member of the firm is well known and has been successful in legal practice in Fort Wayne for some years.

The members of the firm are James B. Harper and John W. Eggemann, and the offices will be the Bank block suite of rooms which has long been occupied by Mr. Harper. Both Mr. Harper and Mr. Eggemann are attorneys of high standing, splendidly equipped professionally and personally very popular.

Mr. Harper was graduated from the Indiana state university at Bloomington in June, 1875, receiving the degree of bachelor of laws, and has been practicing his profession in Fort Wayne continuously since that time. The junior member of the firm is a son of Chairman Peter Eggemann, of the board of public works, and is one of the most gifted of the younger members of the Allen county bar. His higher education was received at Notre Dame university, where he graduated in June, 1900, with the degree of bachelor of laws. Immediately thereafter Mr. Eggemann continued at the institution another year to take a post-graduate course in the law department. Since beginning the practice of his profession in Fort Wayne Mr. Eggemann has been associated with the law firm of Olds & Doughman.

BUYING STEAMSHIP LINE.

New York, Feb. 17.—Sir William Van Horne, chairman of the board of the Canadian Pacific railway, who arrived here today from Havana, was asked whether it was correct that the Canadian Pacific was negotiating for the North Atlantic fleet of the Elder-Dempster line. He replied:

"I have been away from home for some time and I do not know whether or not the negotiations have been concluded. I do not know just how far the matter has gone, but we have been negotiating with the line for the purchase of from a dozen to a dozen and a half of their ships for some time. I cannot say just what number we have been figuring on, but it is somewhat between those figures. This move of ours is in no way an effort to compete with the Morgan combine for business or to divert any traffic from New York. The Canadian Pacific has plenty of business for a line of its own across the ocean."

SAVES CHILDREN FROM FIRE.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 17.—Fifty school children were imperiled in a fire which destroyed the new Caldwell school at Thayer, Ill., yesterday morning. Through the efforts of their teacher, however, the children were rescued with slight injuries. One by one they were dropped from a second story window to the ground. Miss Martin, their instructor, was the last to make the perilous descent. While the pupils in the ground floor rooms escaped without peril, those above were caught and before they could descend the entire stirway was ablaze. The pupils were panic-stricken and it was with difficulty that Miss Martin could restrain them from throwing themselves headlong from the windows. With an effort she brought the children to their senses, formed them into class order and then she dropped them one by one to the ground.

NO HOPE OF RECOVERY.

Detroit, Mich., Feb. 17.—Edward Knapman, of Chicago, who was shot yesterday in a local resort, is still alive at St. Mary's hospital. He had several slight hemorrhages during the night and it was reported at the hospital this morning that while he might live the day through, there was no hope of his recovery.

SUICIDE PREVENTED.

The startling announcement that a preventive of suicide has been discovered will interest many. A run down system, or despondency invariably precede suicide and something has been found that will prevent that condition which makes suicide likely. At the first thought of self destruction take Electric Bitters. It being a great tonic and nervine will strengthen the nerves and build up the system. It's also a great Stomach, Liver and Kidney regulator. Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by Dreier & Bro., druggists.

ATTRACTIVE LOW RATES

To points in the west and northwest by way of the Nickel Plate Road. Sale of tickets at all stations begins Feb. 15th and will continue daily up to and including April 30th, 1903. Get particulars of nearest agent or address C. A. Asterlin, T. P. A., Fort Wayne, Ind.

The REFORMER

BY CHARLES M. SHELDON.

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gleaming eyes. It had become exceedingly interesting to her. Archie was divided between his disgust at the horrible surroundings and his wonder at what would be the result of the encounter between Randall and Miss Andrews. Luella had no thought for anything except that movement which John Gordon had made as if to protect Miss Andrews. And all of them faced the man as he came up, entirely ignorant of his purpose in seeking an interview, but two of them at least fully aware that, whatever it was, it concealed some evil, and one of them praying in her great, strong heart for some way of deliverance, that her love for the children of her desolate parish might find expression before God's sunlight and flowers closed to some of them on this earth forever.

CHAPTER X.



Miss Andrews placed her fingers on his arm.

WHATEVER else Tommy Randall lacked, he did not lack the most absolute confidence in his position as boss of Ward 18. As he came up to the little group of which Miss Andrews was the central figure not even her thorough knowledge of the man's peculiarly insidious hold on the situation was sufficient to give her a real insight into the motive which prompted him to face her and John Gordon at a moment when he knew their indignation against him was at its highest.

He took off his hat as he bowed.

"How do, Miss Andrews? I've got some good news for you, and thought maybe you wouldn't object to my bringing it. Lots 17, 19 and 21 back of the settlement have changed hands since the fire. Maybe you didn't know it, but I've had my eye on those lots for some time. Now, I don't mind telling you that I admire your pluck. You've been doing good here, and I want to help in a small way. So I've decided to give the settlement those lots. I understand you've been wanting more room to build on a new hall. This will give you a chance."

He stopped very suddenly and his shifty gray eyes, still fastened on Miss Andrews, had a look of such malignant satisfaction in them that John Gordon wanted to strike him across the mouth. He did not do that, but he did say, as he stepped in front of Miss Andrews, directly between her and Randall:

"When we want any donations from you, we will let you know it. Better take your gifts where they're better appreciated."

The man gave Gordon one evil look.

"Am I talking to you? My offer was made to the head of the house. If you are authorized"—

"Miss Andrews is not going to enter into any conversation with you." Gordon spoke with a rising tide of wrath in him that was nearer to actual violence that he had ever been. But the man in front of him was a visible representative of the most corrupt, vicious, damnable political system that was directly responsible for practically every dwarfed child, every ruined girl, every debauched soul in the district. There was no room left in John Gordon's heart for anything but overwhelming indignation toward the man who stood for all that monstrous wrong. He wanted to strike something. His soul was bursting with compassion for the hundreds of helpless lives in that hell of misery and with supreme anger against the man who got his living out of it.

"Oh, Mr. Gordon!" Miss Andrews spoke almost timidly. Luella, watching every tone and gesture, noted her apparent willingness to let John Gordon have his way. And indeed, with the exception of those three words addressed to him, Miss Andrews did not speak again during the whole of the strange encounter.

"By your leave, Miss Andrews, I will do the talking, and unless you say otherwise I will take the whole responsibility of refusing any gifts Mr. Randall may, for his own reasons, make the settlement. We know perfectly well how lots 17, 19 and 21 changed hands. We do not care to be receivers of stolen goods."

He said the words looking straight into Tommy Randall's face. Tommy Randall knew as he tried to return the look that here was one man who was not afraid of him, come what might. Nevertheless the boss of Ward 18 had been ruler so long, he had grown so accustomed to regard the methods by which he extorted revenue from his subjects as a legitimate part of the existing political system, that Gordon's almost brutally frank denunciation caused him only a feeling of contempt.

"Just as you say," he answered coolly enough. "Lots in Hope House block are not given away every day. I know plenty of men who will buy them. I suppose, seeing you are so particular about the lots, you will be overparticular about who gets them."

He said it with a deliberate suggestiveness so full of possible evil that Gordon was again tempted to knock him down. Nothing but the knowledge of Miss Andrews' presence prevented him. Tommy Randall felt his own power and went a step further.

"Perhaps you would be interested to look at my plans." The suggestion was so profoundly insolent that no one said a word. Tommy Randall unrolled the blue print and spread it out before them. With the same degree of fascination that they might have felt in looking at a battlefield during the slaughter John Gordon and Grace Andrews followed the grimy hand of the boss as he described his plan. Mrs. Penrose, Archie and Luella looked on as interested spectators, but to them, especially to Luella, the main interest of the occasion lay not in the dirty blue print, but in the expression and attitude of the settlement workers.

"Here," said Tommy, indicating with a much soiled thumb the spot where he and Gordon had been standing when Miss Andrews and her visitors came out, "is my first building. It is a model tenement, five stories, brick with terra cotta front, all modern improvements. Over here on this corner is to be a saloon and vaudeville. Back here a—the workingmen need recreation. No one understands that so well as you do, Miss Andrews. Two blocks west is another tenement. Apartments in these tenements, by the way, are already all spoken for. Corner lot 71, northeast, over here, is to be occupied by another saloon and vaudeville. Give the people plenty of amusement. Another tenement over here; same style and size as first one. Over there"—he shifted the blue print a little and brought the center of the drawing into plainer view—"is going to be a hall which will be used as headquarters for the ward workers, office, restaurant, etc. We need some accommodation of that sort. Down here, southwest corner district, another tenement, and Avitzen puts up his saloon here on this corner. Then over here another tenement, same size, same style. These tenements will relieve the congestion now found around Bowen street. I have in contemplation three, four, five, six, possibly seven. Ground will be broke for the first one over there"—he pointed to the block from which he had come—"tomorrow. I am planning to get everything inclosed before winter. Pretty good plan, eh?"

Miss Andrews' blue eyes gazed at him with their profound look of unmeasured sadness. So might an unsullied angel of light have looked upon one who had denied his fellowship with the shining hosts of heaven.

But John Gordon had no history of past defeats and long accumulated wrongs to keep him silent like this woman who knew the utter uselessness of threat or appeal. He was at the white heat of passion, and, while he held himself in check and spoke coldly enough outwardly, he was really trembling, and Luella began to fear some tragic end to the scene.

"In laying out your measurements for the double decker over there, Mr. Randall, you have not made any allowance for space between front and rear of lot."

"No," said Randall coolly. "We don't want to waste any ground. It's too valuable."

"But how about the city ordinance which provides for a space of twenty-five feet between front and rear houses? I understand your proposed double decker will be four stories in height. The law distinctly says"—

"The law be"—

Mr. Tommy Randall did not say what the law might be on account of ladies being present, but his abrupt silence was no less expressive. He himself broke it with a coarse laugh.

"Young man, you must be very young not to know that Tommy Randall is a law for himself in Ward 18. If he wants to put up a tenement on the whole lot, he does it, and the law ain't going to make any difference."

"You miserable"— John Gordon's wrath flowed over, and he took a step toward the boss. Miss Andrews placed her fingers on his arm as gently and as momentarily as he had placed his on hers, and he stopped as if a bar of steel had been flung up in front of him. Luella, watching everything with observant eyes, saw it all. So did Archie Penrose, and his face expressed a sneering sort of pleasure. Tommy Randall held his ground and began to roll up his blue print.

"Well, I must get along back to my work," he said as he gave the whole company a comprehensive look of triumph. "If you want to buy any lots, why, you know where to come. I understand you've got a little money to invest."

"Look here!" Gordon stopped him. "You say you don't care for the law, but I give you warning that I will bring to bear every process known in this city to prevent your violation of these building ordinances."

"Go ahead, young man," said Tommy good naturedly. "I wish you success."

"If there is any such thing as justice left in an American city, I will have it served on you. I will set the whole machinery of the law in motion against you."

"Oh, you make me tired, young fellow. What is the law to me? Do you own the courts?"

"No; do you?"

"Some of 'em." The answer came with absolute effrontery.

"How about Justice Chambers?" Mrs. Penrose asked the question in a sweet voice that startled everybody.

"Justice Chambers? I—I—don't recall—ah, yes, the new justice in District 9." There was a note of uneasiness in Tommy's voice that Gordon was quick to detect.

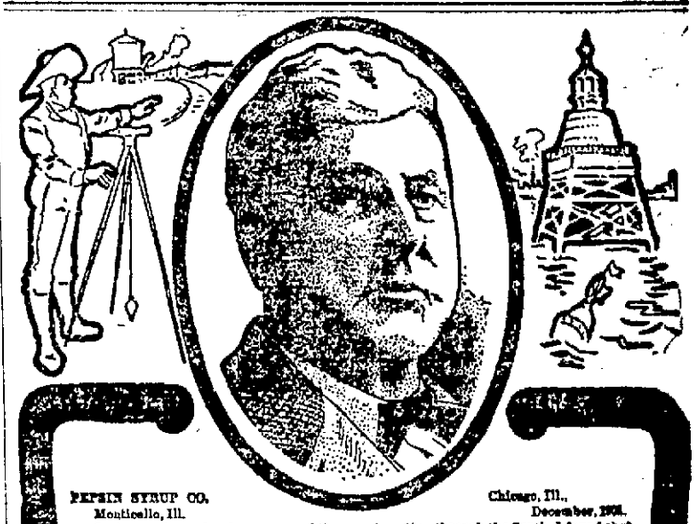
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that he wished I would try. I used it for three days and felt better, and sent for six bottles and used them while in camp. It acted like magic in driving the poison out of my system, cleansed my blood, restored my appetite, and I am now in perfect health. I keep it on hand and find that an occasional dose keeps me well. Very truly yours,

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My first experience of color in the Arctics, says Frank Wilbert Stokes, whose story and pictures of "The Aurora Borealis" are a feature of the February Century, led me to believe that, from the most regal purples, golds and crimsons of sunlight to the black purples, grays, and gray greens of storms, there existed no intermediate effects. But a sojourn of a year in the northland proved that great nature's palette was here set with more varied riches than elsewhere. Especially was this true of the color effects of the long twilight of approaching winter, the returning light of day, and even in the heart of the polar night.

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From Ft. Wayne to	Leave.	Arrive.
Valparaiso and Chicago*	3 25 am	* 5 20 am
Plymouth and Chicago.*	3 25 am	* 7 35 pm
Chicago	* 4 53 am	* 9 22 pm
New York and Washt'n.*	5 30 am	* 3 20 am
Youngs't and Pittsb'g.*	5 30 am	* 3 20 am
Crestline and Lima....*	11 23 pm	*11 55 am
Canton and Pittsburg..*	11 26 pm	* 4 10 pm
Valpar'so and Chicago..†	12 15 pm	†12 30 pm
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Crestline and Alliance..†	12 50 pm	* 3 20 am
Plymouth and Chicago..*	4 15 pm	* 7 35 pm
Lima and Crestline....†	7 05 am	* 7 16 pm
New York and Washt'n.*	7 45 pm	* 4 10 pm
Pittsburg and Phila....*	7 45 pm	* 4 12 pm
Pittsburg and Phila....*	9 30 pm	* 4 45 am
Pittsburg and Phila....*	4 20 pm	*10 25 am
New York and Washt'n.*	4 30 pm	*10 25 am
Valpar'so and Chicago..*	10 30 am	* 4 15 pm
Valpar'so and Chicago.	7 30 pm	*11 20 pm

GRAND RAPIDS AND INDIANA RY.
In Effect Sept. 28, 1902.

NORTH BOUND.

*For Grand Rapids and north....	2:20 am
†For Grand Rapids and north....	8:50 am
†For Grand Rapids and north....	4:20 pm
†From Richmond, arrives.....	8:40 am

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*For Richmond and Cincinnati....	11:35 pm
†For Richmond and Cincinnati....	6:35 am
†For Richmond and Cincinnati....	12:30 pm
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C. H. & D. RAILWAY.
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No. 4. Mail.....	7:10 pm
No. 86 Freight.....	3:50 pm

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No. 3 Accommodation.....	1:40 pm
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EASTBOUND FROM FT. WAYNE.	DEPART
Standard Express, No. 4.....	2 [illegible]
Nickel Plate Express, No. 2.....	9 15
Eastern Express, No. 4.....	7 55
Local Freight.....	17 25
WESTBOUND FROM FT. WAYNE.	DEPART
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	GOING EAST.	DEPART.
No. 1.	New York Limited.....	5:35 A. M.
No. 22.	Toledo Local Express.....	5:55 A. M.
No. 5.	Buffalo Fast Mail.....	8:35 A. M.
No. 6.	New England Express.....	11:45 A. M.
No. 14.	Montpelier and Toledo Exp..	4:10 P. M.
No. 4.	Continental Limited.....	4:45 P. M.
No. 24.	Atlantic Express.....	6:30 P. M.
	GOING WEST.	DEPART.
No. 3.	Kansas City Fast Mail.....	5:40 A. M.
No. 7.	St. Louis Day Express.....	9:45 A. M.
No. 1.	Continental Limited.....	11:20 A. M.
No. 11.	Toledo & Butler Accom., Arr.	11:48 A. M.
No. 5.	Government Fast Mail.....	5:45 P. M.
No. 23.	Toledo Local Exp., Arrive...	8:35 P. M.
No. 3.	St. Louis Limited.....	8:5[illegible]

EASTBOUND SERVICE.
Trains 2, 4, 8 and 14 run via Montpelier
Trains 6, 22, 24 run via Old Road.
WESTBOUND SERVICE.
Trains 1, 3, 9 and 11 run via Montpelier.
Trains 5, 7, 23 run via Old Road.

L. E. & W. R. TIME CARD.

Southbound.	Arrive.
460 Express and Mail.....	11:05 am
462 Local Freight.....	2:50 pm
410 Express and Mail.....	3:45 pm
414 Express and Mail.....	10:00 pm
Northbound.	Depart.
463 Local Freight.....	6:25 am
457 Express and Mail.....	11:55 am
459 Express and Mail.....	5:00 pm
451 Express and Mail.....	5:30 am

All trains daily except Sunday.

L. E. & W. RY. TIME TABLE

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No. 41 Express daily ex. Sun 6:[illegible] am
No. 18 Ex. an Mail daily ex. Sun. 11:15 am
No. 55 Ex and Mail daily..... 4:25 pm

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No. 42 Express daily ..... 11:00 am
No. 32 Ex. and Mail daily ex. Sun 3:00 pm
No. 15 Ex. and Mail daily ex Sun. 10:55pm

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Cars leave corner of Pearl and Harrison streets for Aboite, Roanoke, Huntington, Andrews, Lagro and Wabash every hour, 6 a. m. to 10 p. m., with the exception that the 9 and 10 o'clock cars run only as far as Huntington. First car leaves Fort Wayne on Sunday morning at 7 a. m. Phone "Home" No. 218.

YOTING ON STRIKE.

Chicago, Feb. 17.—Employes of the Chicago City railway are still voting on the strike proposition, but danger of a cessation of work is now said to be remote owing to the action of Manager Robert McCulloch in offering to submit all questions at issue to the Chicago board of arbitration. The offer was referred to Chairman Selfridge, of the board, and a meeting was called for tomorrow to decide whether it will take up the question.

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THE MARKETS.

Chicago, Feb. 17.—Wheat cables were indifferent today and the opening here was easier, with May a shade to ⅛@¼c lower, at 77⅜@77⅝c. The early market was a very tame affair and there was little change in prices. Some of the local crowd had wheat for sale, the most of which was taken by commission houses. Minneapolis and Duluth reported receipts of 376 cars, which, with local receipts of 32 cars—two of contract grade—made total receipts for the three points of 408 cars, against 396 cars last week and 439 cars a year ago.

Corn opened a trifle easier on selling by local scalpers and initial sales on May were unchanged to a shade lower, at 45⅛c to 45⅛@45¼c. Offerings were light and there was just enough demand to hold the market steady at the decline. Local receipts were smaller, at 356 cars, with none of contract grade.

Oats opened dull and a little easier in sympathy with other grains, with May unchanged at 36½c. With fair offerings and but a light demand the price declined to 36¼c. Local receipts were 177 cars.

A lighter run of hogs was due to the extreme cold weather and caused higher prices at the yards and as a result provisions opened strong, with May pork 5@7½c to 22½@25c higher, at $17.42½ to $17.60. May lard was 2½c higher, at $9.67½, while ribs were up 10c to 15c, opening at $9.62½ to $9.67½. The higher prices brought out considerable realizing sales, resulting in a loss of most of the early gain.

The Close.

Prices at the close were as follows:

Wheat—May, 78⅛@78¼c; July, 74¼@74⅝c.

Corn—Feb., 43c; May, 45⅜c; July, 43⅜c; Sept., 43⅛@43¼c.

Oats—Feb., 34½@34⅝c; May, 36¼@36⅜c; Sept., 29⅝c; July, 32¾c.

Pork—May, $17.47½; July, $16.90; Sept., $16.45.

Lard—Feb., $9.65; May, $9.65; July, $9.45.

Ribs—May, $9.55; July, $9.37½; Sept., $9.32½.

Rye—May, 50¾@51c.

Flax—Cash N. W., $1.19; S. W., $1.14; May, $1.20@1.21½.

Timothy—Feb., $4.00.

Clover—Feb., $11.70.

Barley—Cash, 44@56.

Butter, Cheese and Eggs.

Chicago, Feb. 17.—Butter—Market steady; creameries, 18@25½c; dairies, 15@23c.

Eggs—Market stronger, 16@16½c.

Cheese—Market steady; twins, 12½@12¾c; daisies, 13@13½c; young Americas, 13@13½c.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Feb. 17.—Cattle—Receipts, 5,000; market steady; good to prime steers, $4.40@5.40; poor to medium, $3@4.25; stockers and feeders, $2.30@4.50; cows, $1.30@4.30; heifers, $2@4.50; canners, $1.30@2.50; bulls, $2@4; calves, $3.25@8; Texas fed steers, $3.50@4.25.

Hogs—Receipts today, 21,000; tomorrow, 20,000; left over, 4,608; market 10@15c higher; mixed and butchers, $6.85@7.25; good to choice heavy, $7.25@7.50; rough heavy, $6.90@7.20; light, $6.50@6.90; bulk of sales, $6.95@7.20.

Sheep—Receipts, 12,000; sheep steady to higher, lambs same; good to choice wethers, $4.75@5.75; fair to choice mixed, $3.50@4.75; native lambs, $5@6.80.

The Day on Wall Street.

New York, Feb. 17.—The specialties showed the same prominence in the opening dealings in stocks as they did yesterday. The trading in the standard railroad stocks was light and the price changes small and mixed. Minneapolis, St. Paul and Sault Ste Marie preferred rose 1¼, Amalgamated Copper a large fraction and Anaconda 3 points.

Yesterday's demonstration of strength in some of the specialties failed to induce much of an outside following except in the better known stocks. Amalgamated sold up 1⅝ to 73¾. Anaconda moved violently upwards 7 points and a rise of 1⅝ in Metropolitan Street railway carried with it Brooklyn Transit and Manhattan sharp fractions. Smelting, Grass Twine and Canada Southern rose 1 to 1½. Interest was largely focused on the specialties and the standard railroad stocks were neglected and heavy in spots.

The market gave way sharply all around, carrying prices generally backwards 1 to 1¾. Net losses ran to a point or over in St. Paul, New York Central, Erie second preferred, Wisconsin Central preferred, Sugar, General Electric and Brunswick. There was a loss of 3 in New York Dock and of 5 in Commercial Cable. A rise of 1½ in Tennessee Coal caused a check to the selling elsewhere. St. Louis and San Francisco and Pacific Mail rose a point and Grass Twine 2½.

Bonds were firm.

In spite of the gold export rumors, which caused the forenoon decline, threw the market into intense dullness, but the undertone was slightly better.

Tennessee Coal advanced to 67⅜ and prices were inclined to harden all around. There were some large transactions in American Locomotive at a fractional advance. Scarcely any dealings were made in railroad stocks. Kansas City Southern preferred rose a point. Sloss-Sheffield Steel and Fort Worth and Denver City stamped lost 1¼ and General Electric 2¼.

Locomotive gained 1⅛ and Hocking Valley rose a point over last night, but the general market slipped back to the low level of the day again. Delaware and Hudson, St. Paul preferred and Chicago Terminal preferred lost 1 to 1¼. Tennessee Coal reacted about a point and Amalgamated 1¾.

The closing was dull and heavy.

New York Produce Market.

New York, Feb. 17.—Butter—Receipts, 6,535 packages; market irregular; state dairy, 15@24c; extra creamery, 26c; held creamery, 18@25c; creamery, common to choice, 18@25c.

Cheese—Receipts, 3,475 packages; market firm; state full cream, fancy small colored, fall made, 14½c; late made, 13¾@14c; small white, fall made, 14¼c; late made, 13¾c; large colored, fall made, 14¼c; late made, 13¾c; large white, fall made, 14¼c; late made, 13½c.

Eggs—Receipts, 14,893 packages; market firm; state and Pennsylvania, average best, 20; western fancy, 19c; southern, 18½c; refrigerated, 10@15c.

Sugar—Raw, market firm; fair refining, 3¼c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3¾c; molasses sugar, 3c; refined, firm; crushed, $5.30; powdered, $4.80; granulated, $4.70.

Coffee—Market firm; No. 7 Rio, 5⅝c.

The Money Market.

New York, Feb. 17.—Money on call steady at 2¾ per cent.; prime mercantile paper, 4@4¾ per cent.; sterling exchange steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.87.50@4.87.625 for demand, and 4.84.50@4.84.625 for 60-day bills; posted rates, 4.85@4.85⅛; and 4.88@4.88½; commercial bills, 4.83¾@4.84¼; bar silver, 48⅛; Mexican dollars, 37¾.

Government bonds steady.

East Buffalo Markets.

East Buffalo, N. Y., Feb. 17.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,000; butchers' grades, steady; heavy, nothing doing.

Veals—Receipts, 200 head; market 25c lower; tops, $9.25@9.75; common to good, $5.50@9.

Hogs—Receipts, 9,100; light, slow; others strong, 5c higher; heavy, $7.40@7.45; few, $7.50; mixed, $7.30@7.40; Yorkers, $7.20@7.30; light mostly $7.25; pigs, $7.10@7.15; roughs, $6.25@6.50; stags, $5.25@5.75.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 15,100; sheep steady, lambs 5@10c lower; top lambs, $6.75@6.80; culls to good, $4.25@6.70; yearlings, $5.25@5.75; ewes, $4.50@4.75; sheep, top mixed, $4.75@5; culls to good, $2.50@4.65.

The Toledo Markets.

Toledo, Ohio, Feb. 17.—Wheat—Market dull, steady; cash, 78c; May, 80⅝c; July, 76⅜c.

Corn—Dull, steady; Feb., 46¾c; May, 45⅝c.

Oats—Market dull, steady; Feb., 38c; May, 37½c.

Rye—No. 2, 54c.

Seed—Market dull; Feb., $7.10; March, $7.10; prime timothy, $1.35; prime alsyke, $7.80.

Oil—Unchanged.

FORT WAYNE MARKETS

Fort Wayne, Ind., Feb. 17.—Spring wheat flour, $4@4.50; winter, bl., $3.75@4.25; Graham, $1.75 per cwt.; buckwheat, $2.65 per cwt.; corn meal, bolted, $1.50 per cwt.; corn meal, unbolted, $1.50 per cwt.

New Wheat—75c bu.
Corn—42@43c bu.
Cloverseed—$5.50@6.00 bu.
Oats—35c bu.
Timothy Seed—$1.75@$2 bu.
Rye—45c bu.
Barley—45c bu.
Chop Feed—$1.25 per cwt.
Oil Meal—$1.50 per cwt.
Flax Seed—$1.25.
Hides—Green, 7c; salted, 8c.
Calf Hides—Green, 10c; salted, 11c.
Wool—Unwashed, 18c; washed, 22c.
Bran—Ton, $18.00.
Shorts—Ton, $20.
Middlings—Ton, $20.
Hogs—On foot, $5.50⅝@6.00.
Dressed Hogs—$8.00.
Sheep—On foot, $3@3.50; dressed, 7@8c lb.
Lambs—On foot, $4.50@5; dressed, 8c lb.
Calves—On foot, $5@5.50; dressed, 9@10c lb.
Steers—On foot, $4@5.00; dressed, $6@7.
Beef Cows—On foot, $2.50@3.50; dressed, 4½@5½c lb.

City Hay Market.

New Timothy—$10.00@12.00.
Mixed—$8.00@11.00.
Clover—$7.00@8.00.
Straw—$5.00@6.00.

Produce.

Butter—18c lb.
Creamery—30c lb.
Lard—11c lb.
Eggs—16c doz
Chickens—10½c lb.
Dressed Chickens—15c lb.
Potatoes—50@55c bu.
Onions—60c bu.
Honey—14@18c lb.
Apples—60@80c bu.
Live Ducks—11c lb.
Dressed Ducks—15c lb.
Live Turkeys—15c lb.
Dressed Turkeys—20c lb.
Live Geese—9c lb.
Dressed Geese—14c lb.

Try The Sentinel Want Column.

WANTS.

WANTED—AT once—Girls for positions of all kinds. Room 22, Arcade. 'Phone 1830. 16-6t

WANTED—Boy 16 to 18, to learn plumbing trade. Call at 830 Barr St. German preferred.

WANTED—A lady to board in family of two; a good home for right party. Address Box 1, care Sentinel. 14-2t

WANTED—Call up the Fort Wayne Coal Co. for coal and wood. 'Phone 1082. Yards in Bloomingdale. 1-13-1m

WANTED—J. Sunshine, 814 Barr street, pays highest prices for old clothes. Drop me a postal card. 17-1mo

WANTED—A first-class carriage painter. Apply Charles Ehrman's, cor. W. Main and Fulton streets. 2-17-tf

WANTED—Salesmen, $25 per week, to sell a lamp that makes its own gas; lamp free. Eastern Gas Co., 87 Nassau St., N. Y. 1-30-tf

WANTED—Everybody to call on Madam Wing, Clairvoyant, office 206 Chicago St. Bell phone 714 Brown. Price, 50c. 12-12-tf

WANTED—A machinist that understands sewing machines and to take care of gas engine. Address Box 13, care Sentinel. 2-14-tf

WANTED—Girl 15 or 16 years of age to strip tobacco; one that is willing to work for advancement. 209 E. Main St. Al. Hazzard. 2-16-tf

WANTED—I can put your sewing machine in first-class order at your home; give me your address on a postol card. W. A. McDaniel, 216 West Superior St. 13t12

WANTED—Fashionable dressmaking and plain sewing. Prompt attention given. Prices reasonable. Mrs. Eliza Cramer, room 20, Arcade, up stairs. 1-16-1m

WANTED—A reliable gentleman for eastern house wanted at Fort Wayne; salary, $20 weekly; $50 bond required. Address, Dept. T., 7-8 Bennett Bldg., Detroit, Mich. 9-8t

WANTED—Pupils for a school in cutting, fitting and dressmaking; also patterns cut to your measure; for particulars please call or address, A. M. Freeman, room 54 Pixley block. 1-10-1m

WANTED—A man to sell Prescription Bottles to the retail druggists and manufacturing chemists in the city. State age, experience, other business connections and give references. Address Z. A., care of this office. 17-7t

WANTED—Pupils at pattern rooms, in cutting and fitting. To all pupils dressmaking lessons free on your material; also pattern cut to your measure. For particulars please call or address A. M. Freeman, room 54, Pixley-Long block. 2-11-1m

WANTED—Splendid chance for men to learn barber trade now; tools, diplomas and positions given graduates; years saved by our method of practical experience; expert instructions, lectures, etc; catalogue mailed free. Moler Barber College, Chicago, Ill. 14-6t

WANTED—At Mrs. Fitzgerald's Employment office, 201 W. Washington street, first-class cooks, side dining room girls, one head waitress, also one porter; experienced private house cooks and second girls; wages $3 to $5 per week. Places both in and out of the city waiting for help. 10-2-tf

WANTED—Collections of all kinds—Notes, bills, rents and accounts. I make a specialty of collecting rents and renting houses. A. J. Ford, ex-constable of Wayne township; office room, No. 107 East Main street. References—White National bank, Old National bank, or any lawyer in the city of Fort Wayne. 2-7-1mo

FOSTER TO MANAGE CASE.

Washington, Feb. 17.—Ex-Secretary of State John W. Foster has been selected to take charge of the case of the United States in the presentation of the boundary question to the special commission to be appointed in conformity with the terms of the recently confirmed Alaskan boundary treaty. General Foster will be assisted in this work by Mr. Lansing, his son-in-law, who also was connected with the investigation of the Alaskan seal issues. Secretary Root has concluded to accept his appointment as one of the commissioners to represent the United States on the boundary commission. The other two members are Senators Lodge and Turner. It has been urged that Secretary Root can do this work during the coming summer without interfering materially with his duties as secretary of war, the only time consuming phase of the work being a trip to London, where the commission is to effect a preliminary organization.

Winter coughs are apt to result in consumption if neglected. They can be soon broken up by using Foley's Honey and Tar. Sold by Dreier & Bro.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—A desirable residence on North Harrison street. Owner will sacrifice. W. E. Doud. 7-tf

FOR SALE—Fifty-foot lot on best west end street; $1,350. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7-tf

FOR SALE—A bargain in Lakeside property; must be sold quick. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7-tf

FOR SALE—Desirable Ohio farms. Send stamp for 1903 illustrated catalogue. Robt. Neill, Oakmont, Pa. 2-17-10t

FOR SALE—Residence on Fox street, near electric works. Owner has left city. Will name bargain price. W. E. Doud. 7-tf

FOR SALE—House and full lot on West Williams street, $2,250; a real bargain. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7-tf

FOR SALE—A cottage near new round house; very desirable for railroad employe. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7-tf

FOR SALE—A large rooming house in central part of the city, 20 rooms and all modern conveniences. G. Davis, Rooms 17-18 Pixley-Long block. 1-19-tf

FOR SALE—Bedroom suite, hall rack, bookcase and other furniture; will be sold very cheap. Call between 9 and 12 a. m. and 1 to 5 p. m., at 1122 Columbia avenue. 17-2t

FOR SALE—Vacant lots in all parts of the city on which I will build you a home after your own design and sell on monthly payments; office open every evening. G. Davis, Rooms 17-18 Pixley-Long block. 1-19-tf

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—If you need money, read ad. on second page, first column. 7-30-tf

FOR RENT—Several desirable houses and business rooms; will be pleased to show on application. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7-tf

FOR RENT—Pleasant, furnished rooms, with board, bath and all modern conveniences, half square east of Calhoun, at 129 East Washington. 8-27-tf

FOR RENT—Lodge room can be had by parties desiring it on either Wednesday or Friday evening at very reasonable price; nice dancing floor in same building to rent on any Saturday afternoon or evening. Telephone 1022, new phone. 10-tf

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms; also, want boarders, at 208 W. Wayne St. 1-22-1m

FOR RENT—A suite of furnished rooms, at 132 East Wayne street. 17-19

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms, with board, to responsible persons. Call at 103 (old No.) W. Berry Street. 13-1m

FOR RENT—Floral hall, Flick building, 207-9 West Berry, Tuesday, Friday or Saturday night, or any day except Sunday morning. Smaller hall any evening suitable for small lodge or lecture room. Geo. W. Flick, Manager. 1-16-tf

FOR RENT—1028 Garden street, modern; 1019 Garden St.; 132 E. Berry, 3d floor, modern; 2403 S. Calhoun, modern, 715 W. Wayne, modern; 2217 S. Calhoun street, and stable; 1214 Webster street; 206 Spy Run avenue; vacant lots on West Main street, and improved property in different parts of the city for sale. Schrader & Wilson, 709 Court street, first floor. 9-10-tf

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LOST OR STRAYED—Setter pup, eight months old; white, with tan ears and spots. Liberal reward for return to 1316 Walton avenue. Homer Krick. 16-2t

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FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Property on nearly every street in the city. See what I have before you buy. F. G. Gauntt. 1-22-tf

FOR SALE—7-room cottage, with bath and electric lights, a full lot, between reservoir and Williams grove. W. E. Doud. 7-tf

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FOR SALE—New 6-room residence, bath, furnace and lights, near Clay street school, $2,600. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7-tf

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FOR SALE—A 6, 7 and 8-room house on East Lewis street, $2,000 to $2,500; a 7 and 8-room house on East Jefferson street. G. Davis, Rooms 17-18 Pixley-Long block. 1-19-tf

FOR SALE—In Bloomingdale, 11 houses. $1,000 to $3,000; in Lakeside, seven houses, $1,300 to $4,000. G. Davis, Rooms 17-18 Pixley-Long block. 1-19-tf

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FOR SALE—Corner lot, 50x150, south side, with a good 8-room brick house and a good 6-room frame house; both streets paved; price reduced to $5,000.00 if sold soon. Louis F. Curdes, 3 and 4 Pixley-Long block. 2-12-tf

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FOR SALE—Two special bargains in modern houses on West Berry and West Washington streets, also five modern houses on Washington boulevard and 6 on West Wayne street, $2,400 to $10,000. G. Davis, 17-18 Pixley-Long block. 1-19-tf

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FOR SALE—A seven-room house on East Jefferson street, with good barn, $2,200; a nineroom house on East DeWald street, with modern improvements, rents for $17 per month, $2,600; vacant lot on Taylor street, near Broadway, $750—want an offer; a seven-room house on Gay street, $1,350; an eight-room house on Hugh street, near Francis, $2,350; a nine-room house on Eliza street, $2,400; a six-room house on Smith street, $1,400; a seven-room house on Hoffman street, $1,850. A good grocery for sale; sold at a bargain; call at once. John T. Wagner, Real Estate and Loans, 23 Court St. 1-9-tf

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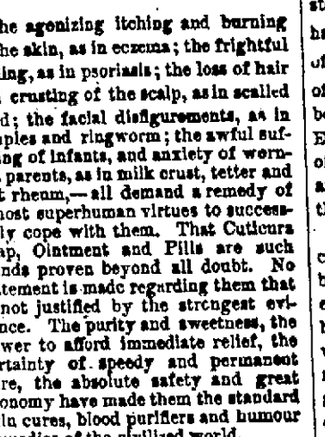
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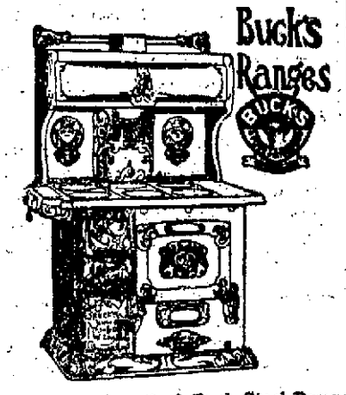
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Goes to the Boston Branch of the Bowser Oil Tank Company.

NEW MASTER MECHANIC

G. B. Fravel Succeeds T. B. Hunt on the Chicago Terminal Division.

Charles H. Meek, who has been chief stock clerk for S. F. Bowser & Co., has received a substantial recognition of his abilities that comes in the form of a merited promotion. He has just been appointed assistant to Manager E. M. Savercool, at the Boston branch of the big Fort Wayne oil tank works, and will leave next week to assume the duties of his new position.

Mr. Meek is very well known in this city, particularly in railroad circles, but his advancement in his present employment has been won in but a few brief months. For twelve years he was in the employ of the Nickel Plate railroad as a telegrapher, and the greater portion of this time he was day operator at the yard office in this city.

Resigning from railroad work in July last to accept a place with the Bowser company, he has quickly demonstrated a business capacity along new lines that has secured marked recognition, and his present advancement carries with it a very handsome increase in salary. Mr. Meek will take up his work in the east March 1, and will be in entire charge of the office work of the big branch there. Mrs. Meek will join her husband in Boston two weeks later. They have many friends in Fort Wayne who will regret exceedingly to see them leave the city.

Railway Conventions for 1903.

February 19—Central and Western Association of Car Service Officers, at Chicago.

March 17—American Railway Engineering and Maintenance of Way association, at Chicago.

April 22—American Railway association, at New York.

May 14—Eastern Association of Car Service Officers, at 24 Park Place, New York.

May 27—Association American Railway Accounting Officers, at Hot Springs, Va.

June 9—American Association of Local Freight Agents' associations, at Savannah, Ga.

June 16—National Association of Car Service Managers, at Chicago.

June 16—Train Dispatchers' Association of America, at Nashville, Tenn.

June 17—American Association of General Baggage Agents, at Royal Muskoka hotel, Lake Rousseau, Ont.

June 17—Freight Claim association, at Detroit, Mich.

June 17—American Railway Master Mechanics association, at Mackinac Island, Mich.

June 22—Master Car Builders' association, at Mackinac Island, Mich.

July 14—National Convention of Railroad Commissioners, at Portland, Maine.

July 21—National Association of Railway Agents, national division, at Eureka Springs, Ark.

September ... —American Association of Traveling Passenger Agents, at New Orleans, La.

September 8—Traveling engineers, at Chicago.

September 8—Master Car and Locomotive Painters' association, at Chicago.

October 13—Roadmasters' and Maintenance of Way association, at Kansas City, Mo.

October 13—American Association of General Passenger and Ticket Agents, at New Orleans, La.

Will Talk of Labor.

Tomorrow evening, in the assembly room of the court house, Edwin F. Gould, of Indianapolis, will address the laboring men of Fort Wayne on the general labor question. Mr. Gould comes under the auspices of the Fort Wayne Federation of Labor. He is editor of the Union, published at Indianapolis, the official paper of the Indiana Federation of Labor, and in addition to being one of the strongest writers in the country on labor topics and matters concerning labor organizations, is an eloquent and forcible speaker. Mr. Gould has addressed the workingmen of Fort Wayne heretofore. The admission will be free.

Change in Master Mechanics.

The announcement of the appointment of George B. Fravel to the office of master mechanic of the Chicago Terminal division of the Pennsylvania, was made yesterday by bulletin to the local offices. Mr. Fravel has been serving in the capacity of assitant master mechanic of the Columbus division of the system for some time. He succeeds Thomas B. Hunt, who has been transferred to this city, where he will be assigned special duties in the motive power department. Mr. Hunt has had charge of the mechanical department at Chicago for a number of years.

Murphy Dies of Wounds.

John Murphy, the boilermaker who was found lying in an unconscious condition along the Wabash tracks, near Logansport, last week, with a pistol wound in his left arm and side, died yesterday in the St. Joseph hospital at Logansport. The coroner decided that death was due to pneumonia, and not from the wound. Murphy was shot by some tramps, who supposed he had money. After the shooting the wounded man went to Logansport and visited a number of saloons, but when he learned that the attention of the police had been called to his condition, he left the city, fearing arrest, and fell where he was later found from sheer exhaustion and loss of blood. It was reported that he received his wounds from a Wabash brakeman, but later developments proved that this story was false. Murphy was in Fort Wayne a short time ago.

Committees at Cleveland.

The conductors and brakemen on the Nickel Plate are now having their grievances investigated by the officials at Cleveland and each has a representative from this city at the meetings. Trainmaster D. H. Caldwell is in attendance, but Supt. S. K. Blair was unable to go to Cleveland on account of sickness. The engineers and firemen had their "inning" a week or two ago. The result of these conferences will be watched with interest.

Big Sick List.

The grip has appeared among the Pittsburg enginemen and as a result the sick list is becoming larger each day. This morning it contained the additional names of Engineers E. Jamey, G. VanArsdale, A. Kelker and J. W. McCarthy and Firemen J. E. Perkins, C. C. Johnson, W. Biedenweg, E. O. Miller, C. C. Long and L. P. Galland. Engineers H. Westerman and C. A. Prince and Fireman G. S. Bates, who had been on the sick list, reported for duty this morning.

New Names on the Roll.

A. G. Porter lodge, No. 141, B. L. F., had an interesting meeting last night, despite the very disagreeable weather, O. Logan, of the Nickel Plate, and F. M. Martens, of the Pittsburg, were taken into membership. The lodge now ranks with the largest in the state. The spelling school to be given by the Ladies' Society tomorrow evening was mentioned at the meeting and will receive liberal support from all the brotherhood men.

New Club Quarters.

The Pennsylvania Social club has surrendered its lease on the second story of the Kaiser building and has taken a lease of the third floor of the building in which is the Schele barber shop, where the clubs furniture and effects were removed yesterday. The new location is more desirable on account of being nearer the Pennsylvania railroad.

Blacksmith Will Marry.

Tomorrow morning at 7 o'clock Miss Ella Betts, of Riverside avenue, and Thomas Golden will be married at the Cathedral. Mr. Golden is a blacksmith employed at the Bass shops and a jolly and popular fellow with his acquaintances. Miss Betts is also quite popular with her acquaintances.

Industrial Notes.

The Gates Mexico touring train leaves Chicago tomorrow morning, with a complete list of passengers.

Engineer Robert E. Kelley, of the Lake Erie and Western, has returned to his duties after a few days' illness.

Pittsburg Fireman J. A. Zellers, whose home is in Crestline, has been called to that city by the sickness of his mother.

Pittsburg Fireman A. Lothamer, who has been sick with typhoid fever since December 22, has recovered and is working again.

Machinist Charles A. Taylor, of the Bass works, is off duty to attend to private business and to recuperate after a sickness.

The Philadelphia and Reading last week had all of its thirty-two collieries working, and the output was over 1,300 cars per day.

Charles Grosvenor has resigned his position at the Fort Wayne Electric works to accept one with the Nickel Plate railway in Chicago.

The Lake Shore has borrowed for a week eight freight locomotives from the Hocking Valley road to push the movement of delayed freights.

Fred J. Stahl, machinist at the Wabash shops, has succeeded James Olive at the big slotting machine. Mr. Olive has been transferred to a shaper.

William Jackson, the retired Pennsylvania employe, has gone to Lima to spend a few weeks with his sons and daughters, who reside in that city.

Leo Fuchs, a machinist in the night gang at the Wabash shops, has resigned with a view of getting a day job in one of the Fort Wayne shops.

Master Mechanic B. Fitzpatrick and Master Car Builder J. A. Graham, of the Pennsylvania, are attending to railway business in Chicago today.

Fred Alway, Nickel Plate car inspector, who had been sick with quinsy two or three days, reported for work yesterday.

The operators of the Northern Pacific have obtained a concession from the management to the effect that hereafter all Sunday work shall be paid for as overtime.

Randolph Breeze, assistant round house foreman at Allegheny, has returned to that city after spending Sunday with his friends in this city. Mr. Breeze resided here until a few months ago.

There were two sections of Nickel Plate train No. 3 last night. The second train had five cars and carried immigrants bound for the northwest. Conductor Charles Bell had charge of it.

C. B. Watterson, who had a hand burned; E. J. Schlink, the flue cutter, who was sick; Andy Koonz, the painter, who was sick, resumed their respective duties in the Pittsburg shops this morning.

The resignation of four Lake Shore passenger conductors without an assigned reason is causing some anxiety in Toledo division circles. It is not known whether the resignations were entirely voluntary or not.

Train porters on the Wabash have been notified of a $5 raise in their monthly salary. They will get $40 per month in addition to the "tips" from the passengers. The latter has always been larger than the regular salary.

Yesterday the Bass company closed a contract for building two 2,000-horse power heaters and six 150-horse power vertical water tube boilers, with all of their appurtenances, for the Sligo Iron and Steel company, of Connellsville, Pa.

W. J. Wheeler, C. Hanna, F. C. McElfatrick, H. S. Starke and F. C. W. Meyers, Pittsburg shopmen, are sick and off duty. R. M. O'Rourke is off duty on account of the death of his sister and Fred C. Schultz is looking after some private business.

Master Mechanic Mudd, of the Cincinnati, Richmond and Muncie road, is a son of Master Mechanic G. W. Mudd, of the western division of the Wabash. He worked as a journeyman mechanic in the Wabash shops when the Mudd family resided in this city.

Night Foreman W. S. Fitch, who had an ankle sprained two weeks ago, reported for work at the Pittsburg freight house this morning. C. M. Shaffer, H. D. Kem and J. A. Dulihan, truckmen at the same place, are off duty on account of sickness.

Three motors, the smallest a five-horse power and the largest a twenty-horse power, left the electric works this morning for Hamilton, Ohio, consigned to Hooven, Owen, Renschler & Co. A fifteen-horse power motor also left the works today for Muskegon, Mich.

Engineer T. E. Short and Firemen J. Buerkley, O. Logan and J. D. Maurer are off duty, the latter on account of a sprained back and the others on account of sickness. They are Nickel Plate employes. Engineer Charles Merrett, who had been sick, reported for work yesterday.

A company is being organized at Tacoma to construct a plant for building railroad cars. One of the promoters of the plan is H. H. Waner, master mechanic of the western end of the Northern Pacific, under whose direction hundreds of cars have been built at the South Tacoma shops.

The new passenger engines on the New York Central are all that was expected of them in the way of flyers. One of them pulled the Empire express from Palmyra to Macedon, seven miles, in four minutes, last Friday night. This was at the rate of a mile in thirty-two and nine-tenths seconds.

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CITY COUNCIL IS TO MEET TONIGHT

Will Assemble as Committee of the Whole—News at the City Hall.

The council will meet tonight in committee of the whole to review the mayor's message, the report of the various heads of departments of the city government, together with the affairs of the waterworks department. It is not likely that any action upon either of them will be taken, further than to order their being printed, as has been the annual custom.

The board of works met yesterday afternoon, but transacted no actual business of any character. The matter of giving farther consideration to the issuance of a building permit to repair the Washington house did not come up, Mr. Breen, the owner's attorney, being otherwise engaged. In an informal manner the board discussed the general plan of the Pennsylvania company's track extensions south of the Wabash right-of-way, west of Hanna street, and agreed to meet Superintendent McKim this afternoon to go into the details which have frequently been outlined in these columns. The new plan no longer contemplates an extension through the Bass foundry yards, the adjacent alley and the condemnation of private property. The new plan concerns Toledo street, Lafayette street and Murray street only.

Chairman Figel, of the special gas committee, has called another meeting for tomorrow evening, when it is expected that at least two of the engineers of the gas company's stations can be present. The cold snap, however, presents some obstacles and there is a doubt about getting the engineers off duty at this time; if they cannot be secured the meeting will be postponed.

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Mrs. W. J. Vesey left today for Brooklyn, N. Y., to attend the national carnation show to be given at the art institute there.

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It is unnecessary for us to go into detail with regard to the immensity of the assortment to be seen here. That we are supreme in Dress Goods is so great an established fact, you know our stocks are greater, qualities better and prices lower than is possible anywhere else. Very special attention has been paid to fabrics designed for Tailor-made Suits and Separate Skirts, and the price attached is a big fraction lower than it ought to be if the real worth of the goods is considered. In Black Goods we are showing—CREPE DE CHINES, NEW AEOLIENS, NEW VOILES, NEW GRANITES, GRENADINES, MOHAIRS AND SICILIANS, NEW ETAMINES, BASKET WEAVES, SILK WARP BATISTES, POPLINS, OTTOMANS, PRUNELLAS, BROADCLOTHS, with the usual staple line of BLACK CHEVIOTS, SERGES and STORM SERGES.

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PLAIN AND FIGURED MOHAIRS, BRILLIANTINES AND SICILIANS, very suitable for dresses and waists, from 50c to $1.50 yd. KNICKERBOCKER SUITINGS, snow flake effects; FANCY GRANITES, with silk dots; DUBLIN TWISTS, in pepper and salt effects, makes very stylish Separate Skirts or Tailor-made Suits; ENGLISH BROADCLOTHS, in all the new, seasonable colors; BASKET WEAVES, all wool, in staple colors; SILK WARP BATISTES, LANSDOWNE, SILK WARP AEOLIENS, ETAMINES, MISTRELS, VIOLES, CREPE DE CHINE, in silk and wool; ALBATROSS, SATIN, STRIPE CHALLIES, CASHMERES, etc., in all the popular shades and qualities and prices to suit every purse.

We have but one price for all, never discriminate, but would direct the attention of dressmakers and others accustomed to receiving discounts elsewhere to the fact that our net prices are lower than what are asked at other stores with the discount taken off. Here you find money saving opportunities.

THE PEOPLE'S STORE

SOLE AGENTS FOR QUEEN QUALITY SHOES.

HAS GONE TO MARION.

S. L. Nelson, general manager of the Fort Wayne and Southwestern traction company, has gone to Marion on business connected with the new Fort Wayne and Southern electric line which is to be built from Huntington to Marion.

The Rosary society of the Church of the Precious Blood will hold a social in the school hall this evening.

Th most reliable preparations for kidney troubles on the market is Foley's Kidney Cure. Dreier & Bro.

Mrs. E. A. Bittler will entertain this evening in honor of her cousin, Miss Olga Huebner, of Toledo, who will be her guest for two weeks.

Laxative Bromo Quinine Cures a Cold in One Day, Grip in 2 Days. E. W. Grove on every box. 25c

The Rurode DRY GOODS CO.

Important February Events.

The attractiveness of this great store increases daily. The sombre hues of winter are giving place to the bright shades of spring. Particular attention just now is called to

The New Embroideries and White Goods

The variety is greater, the styles prettier, the prices lower than ever before—a combination of excellence that will crowd our counters with pleased buyers.

New Muslin Underwear.

You know our reputation in this line. Nothing but the good finds place here. If you appreciate Undermuslins that are perfect in fit, well made and daintily trimmed our showing will please you. The well-known Sterns' Underwear can be found only here; for general excellence it stands at the top. Many makers try to produce underwear as good as Sterns'. Few succeed. Quality counts and prices are no higher than you pay for the inferior sort. Come in and let us prove it to you.

Rurode Dry Goods Co.

The Citizens' Trust Co.,
Cor. Berry and Clinton Streets
Capital, $200,000.00
3 Per Cent. Interest Paid on Deposits.
One Dollar and up.
LOANS—Made on farm and city property at low rates.

ÆTNA LIFE INSURANCE CO.,
HARTFORD, CONN.
Commenced Business in 1820
General Offices 40 Counties in Indiana. 132 E. Berry St.
CHARLES W. ORR, Mgr.


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Be ready for some choice bargains which will be offered for the U. S. STAMPS during the new year. Better gifts than ever before. Watch for them as they come in. Get a new book and circular page at store on Calhoun street.

IF YOU HAVE ANY MONEY
DONT FORGET THE
ALLEN COUNTY LOAN AND SAVINGS ASSOCIATION
Will pay you good rates of interest. They also loan money at low rates. Opposite Post office. Assets, $800,000.

YOUNG WOMEN
Take Your Meals at the
Y. W. C. A.
51 West Berry Street.
Strangers in the city referred to good boarding places. Meals served on the European plan at reasonable rates. Dinner, 11:30 to 1:30. Supper, 5:30 to 6:40.

Dr. S. H. Havice
EYE, EAR, NOSE AND THROAT
Glasses Adjusted.
26 West Wayne Street.
Office hours from 8 to 12—1 to 4 p. m.
Office 'phone 252; residence 1117.

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IS
RHOADS

Others may claim to be independent druggists, but they are only the agents of the Trust and hope by deceitful methods to drive Rhoads out of business and restore the Trust Prices:

A Few of Our Prices:

Peptorene	20c
Belladonna Plasters	5c
Mennen's Talcum Powder	15c
Slocum Ozomulsion	75c
Humphrey's Remedies	19c
Phosphate Soda, pound	20c
Graves Tooth Powder	15c
Bromo Quinine	19c
Beef, Iron and Wine, $1 size	57c
Wampole's Cod Liver Oil	75c
Chase's Nerve Pills	38c
Castile Soap, pound	17c
Borax, pure, pound	15c
Peruna	75c
Coke's Dandruff Cure	38c
Diamond Dye	7c
Cod Liver Oil, pint	50c
Hall's Catarrh Cure	57c
Fellow's Hypophosphite	$1.12
Hostetter's Bitters	75c
Epsom Salts, pound	5c
Wine of Cardui	75c

RUBBER GOODS.

Combination fountain syringes and water bottle, $1.00.
Fountain syringe, 65c.
Bulb syringe, 38c.
Marvel Whirling syringe, $3.
Housewife Whirling syringe, $1.25

RHOADS
The Originator of
LOW DRUG PRICES
1001 BROADWAY
Southeast Corner Washington.

Any Ladies' Suit in the house, $10. AT SAUL'S, 721 Court St.

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TUESDAY, FEB. 17, 1903.

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THE WEATHER.

Chicago, Feb. 17.—Forecast for Indiana—Fair tonight; Wednesday, partly cloudy and slowly moderating; winds becoming variable.

LOCAL NEWS.

Mrs. Reed will entertain the M. O. S. club, Wednesday afternoon, at her home, 2732 Hoagland avenue.

Misses Anna and Lillian Grimme have gone to Decatur to attend a reception to be given by the Bachelor Maids' club of that city. They will be the guests of Mrs. Thomas Ehinger and Miss Edna Ehinger while in Decatur.

Miss Edna Bricker and Harry Bricker entertained a company of their friends at a valentine masquerade party at their home last Friday evening. The guests came en masque and en costume and many ludicrous, novel and cleverly gotten up costumes were shown. The evening was spent in playing cards and dancing. After a number of flashlight pictures had been taken of the party by Miss Fannie Beadell, a dainty luncheon was served. In the games first prizes were won by Miss Pertha Joly and Louis Scheyner and the consolations went to Miss Esther Fox and Earl Malone.

Foley's Honey and Tar cures the cough caused by attack of la grippe. It heals the lungs. Sold by Dreier & Bro.

GROCERY ITEMS AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES

3-lb box Lump Starch, 18c.
Gloss Soap, 3c bar.
Snow Boy Washing Powder, 2c package.
Scotch Jams, 12c jar.
Assorted Jams, 7c jar.
Green and Wax String Beans, 5c can.
3-lb can Pumpkin, 7c.
3-lb can Tomatoes, 8c.
3-lb can Pie Peaches, 7c.
German Sweet Chocolate, 4 for 25c.
Yeast Foam, 3½c package.
Malta Vita and Maple Flake, 12½c package.
Grape Nuts, 12c package.
Winona Ceres, 10c package.
Corn Starch, 5c package.
Star Condensed Milk, 10c can.
Hulled Beans, 14c package.
Quaker Oats, 9c package.
Loose Roasted Coffee, 10c lb.
South Whitley Flour, 90c sack.
Good Salmon, 7c can.
Tea Dust, 14c pound package.
Good Mixed Tea, 20c pound.
Good Young Hyson Tea, 25c pound.
Baked Beans in Tomato Sauce, 4½c can.
Oil Sardines, 4½c can.
Santa Clara Prunes, 4c pound.
WHITE FRUIT HOUSE.

Henry W. Schwehr, with the Rurode Dry Goods Co., received $10 at Reuben S. Patterson's. $10 given away each week.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

All members of my Spanish School are called to settle on or about Feb. 28th, in order to pay claims against me which have incurred upon me while at the High School.

By permission of Mr. Study, Supt. of Schools.
PROF. A. DE VARONA QUESADA.

AT THE CENTRAL GROCERY.

Strictly Fresh Eggs, 18c doz.
Fancy Michigan Potatoes, 60c bu.
Churubusco Flour, 88c large sack.
All Best City Flour, 98c large sack.
Medium Size Picnic Hams, 11c.
Best Sugar Cured Hams, 14c.
Finest Breakfast Bacon, 16c.
Granulated Sugar, 5c pound.
Extra Light C Sugar, 4½c.
Brown C Sugar, 4c.
Whole Grain Jap Rice, 5c lb.
Fresh Rolled Oats, 3½c lb.
Globe, Santa Claus, Lenox and Gloss Soap, 3½c bar.
Our Own Roast Coffee, 9c lb.
Special Golden Rio Coffee, 12½c.
Lion, and XXXX Coffee, 10c.
FREIBURGER & MICHEL.

"'Tis something good," said bonnie Kate,
"The best," responded Dora,
And then they both exclaimed elate:
"It is the 'FLORODORA.'"

REMEMBER
Sam Field, 76 Barr street, pays the best prices for old clothes.
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SPECIAL SALE!
100 Piece Dinner Sets
Sets worth $6.00, only $4.23.
Sets worth $7.00, only $5.23.
Sets worth $8.00, only $6.23.
Sets worth $9.50, only $7.23.
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PICKARD BROS.


ITALIAN PEPPS,
(10¢ ALUMINUM POCKET PACKET.)
A HANDY POCKET STAMP BOX WHEN EMPTY
GUM IMPERIALS.
(10¢ ALUMINUM BOX....)
ASSORTED PURE FLAVORINGS.
IF NOT SOLD BY YOUR DRUGGIST, MAILED FREE UPON RECEIPT OF PRICE.
Huyler's 863 BROADWAY, N.Y. CITY.

DEATHS AND FUNERALS.

TRESSLER.

The remains of Granville Tressler, who died in Chicago Monday, will arrive in the city at noon Wednesday and will be taken to Prairie Grove cemetery for interment. Mr. Tressler was sixty years of age and his death was due to blood poison.

He was a native of Frankfort, Ohio, but resided in this city until a few years ago. His wife was Miss Elizabeth Carroll, and a number of relatives yet reside in Fort Wayne. The immediate family surviving includes the widow and six children. Mrs. Sarah Kelley, of this city, is the mother of Mrs. Tressler, and Thomas Greer, of Pleasant township, is an uncle of the deceased. Mr. Tressler was a member of Summit City lodge, A. O. U. W.

LONG.

John Long, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Long, who reside on the Maysville road two miles northeast of the city, died at 3:30 o'clock this morning from pneumonia, at the age of seven months and seven days.

The funeral services will be held from the residence Thursday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock and the interment will occur at Lindenwood.

SCHROEDER.

Ettie Schroeder, an inmate of the Indiana school for feeble minded youth, died at that institution Monday evening from epilepsy, at the age of 17 years, 4 months and 6 days.

The interment will occur at the institution cemetery.

FUNERAL NOTICES.

Spiegel.—Funeral services of Arthur G. F. Spiegel will be held on Wednesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock from the residence, 1006 Broadway, and at 2 o'clock from Emmaus Lutheran church, Rev. Wambsganss officiating.

MISS BEN-OLIEL'S LECTURES.

Miss Florence Ben-Oliel, of Jerusalem, who gave such an excellent entertainment in the Westminster Presbyterian church last year, has been invited by the ladies of the Baptist church to return, and will give three entertainments in that church next week. Miss Ben-Oliel, a Christian Jewess, has the reputation of being the best posted lecturer in Oriental matters in this country. She spent most of her life in Jerusalem, and her address is filled with features that will be very attractive to Bible readers. No one can hear her without being benefited. She has appeared in most of the large cities in America, and wherever she has been there has been a demand for her return. The ladies of the Baptist church are to be congratulated upon bringing this talented lady to Fort Wayne.

IRISH MAY BE DISPLACED.

Washington, Feb. 17.—From present indications Colonel John P. Irish, naval officer of the port of San Francisco, will be displaced in favor of a republican. The California delegation in congress are very urgent in their demands that Colonel Irish be retired from office and the colonel himself declares that he will make no fight for retention. Under the circumstances it looks as though some worthy republican worker would be given his job. Irish was a leader in the gold democratic movement in 1896. He was a member of the Palmer and Buckner national committee and made a lengthy stumping tour in behalf of that ticket. He is a brilliant orator and did much for the cause of sound money. In recognition of his services President McKinley reappointed him to the position of naval officer at San Francisco, to which he originally was appointed by Cleveland. Ever since his second term expired in 1901 California republicans have been demanding that he be displaced. President Roosevelt does not want to yield to their wishes, but he may be forced to do so.

Try The Sentinel Want Column.

MERCURY MADE VERY HIGH DIVE

Cold Snap Which Put Crimps in the Air and Sent Thermometer to 8 Below.

The weather man was the star in another meterological achievement last night, and with very little preliminary flourish the mercury in Fort Wayne thermometers, which went down to a point where there was no disputing the proposition that it was cold. The matter of degree formed the only basis for argument, and the machine at the gas company's office, where readings are taken hourly, gives 8 degrees below zero as the maximum stage of frigidity. This was reached at 7 o'clock today, and was maintained for more than an hour.

Between noon and midnight yesterday there was a drop of fourteen degrees, but it came gradually, and the casual observer hardly appreciated the precipitate fall. During the evening the cold had the effect of thinning the crowd of pedestrians upon the streets, and down town there was little doing. Wood and coal dealers are again working overtime and are unable to supply the demand for fuel. The gas pressure is extremely low, though all the pumps have been working perfectly.

THE FIGURES FOR IT.

The temperature from 6 o'clock Monday evening, as shown by the readings at the gas company's office, has been as follows:

6 p. m.	8
7 p. m.	7
8 p. m.	7
9 p. m.	6
10 p. m.	6
11 p. m.	5
Midnight	4
1 a. m.	3
2 a. m.	0
3 a. m.	—2
4 a. m.	—3
5 a. m.	—4
6 a. m.	—6
7 a. m.	—8
8 a. m.	—8
9 a. m.	—6
10 a. m.	—4
11 a. m.	—2
Noon	0
1 p. m.	2
2 p. m.	4

The present temperature is the lowest of the winter with one exception. On January 12 the showing was two degrees colder than that of today. The indications are for a slow moderation of temperature tonight and tomorrow.

NEWSPAPER MEN MEET.

New York, Feb. 17.—The annual conference of the American Newspaper Publishers' association was begun today with a large attendance. A resolution was adopted increasing the capital stock of the association from $1,000 to $2,000. It was incorporated under the laws of the state of New York and the stock heretofore has been divided into two hundred shares, all of which have been taken by newspapers in the United States and Canada. It is for the purpose of admitting additional papers that the capital stock has been increased.

HISTORIAN MEETS MISHAP.

Berlin, Feb. 17.—Professor Memmsen, the historian, was knocked down by a cab today and sustained a slight injury on the back of the head. He was able to get home without assistance.

TORTURE.

One of the most dreadful tortures that unfortunate Christians used to be subjected to was being kept awake. By being constantly stirred up, kept walking, tortured in a variety of ways, the pleasing diversion of the degenerates, they were kept awake until they died or went mad. Nowadays people practice this torture upon themselves, by neglecting to do the simple things necessary to insure sleep. Insomnia is due to the retention of impure matter in the blood, exciting and irritating the brain.

Peptorene affords the relief you want. It is composed of remedies peculiar to itself and different from all so called dyspepsia cures. It contains no harmful drugs. Putting the digestion right and causing the elimination of all waste matter, leaves the brain and entire nervous system in a normal state, that assures peaceful, restful sleep. Headaches, nervousness, constipation disappear and the body is sound and well. It is as safe and efficient for children as adults.

At your druggists for 25 cents a box, or sent direct—also convenient little trial treatment free on request. Made by the Battle Creek Health Tablet Co.

For sale by Meyer Bros. & Co., Pellens & Folster, A. C. Gocke, Wm. L. Waltemath.

The sermon by Rev. Frank Talmage in next Saturday's Sentinel will tell you and everybody something that can be turned to substantial financial account. It will give you some practical ideas on prosperity for yourself, It is a fine formula for money-getting.

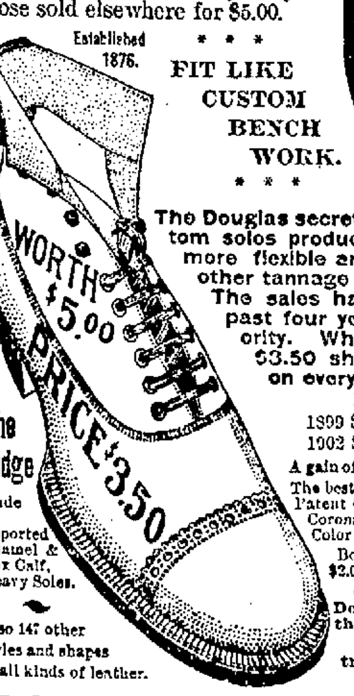
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$25,000 REWARD will be paid to anyone who can disprove this statement.

Because W. L. Douglas is the largest manufacturer, he can buy cheaper and produce his shoes at a lower cost than any other concern, which enables him to sell a shoe for $3.50 equal in every way to those sold elsewhere for $5.00.



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Made of Imported Enamel & Box Calf, Heavy Soles.

Also 147 other styles and shapes in all kinds of leather.

The Douglas secret process of tanning the bottom soles produces absolutely pure leather; more flexible and will wear longer than any other tannage in the world.

The sales have more than doubled the past four years, which proves its superiority. Why not give W. L. Douglas $3.50 shoes a trial and save $1.50 on every pair.

Note the increase in business.
1899 Sales: $2,203,883.21
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A gain of $2,820,456.79 in four years.

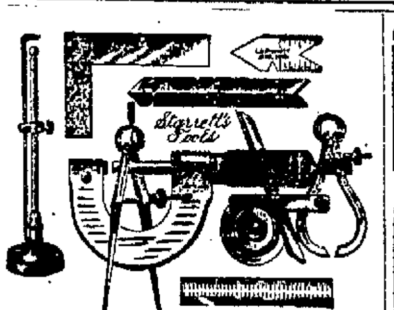
The best imported and American leathers, Heyl's Patent Calf, Enamel, Box Calf, Calf, Vici Kid, Corona Colt, and National Kangaroo. Fast Color Eyelets used exclusively.

Boys all wear W. L. Douglas Strong Made $2.00 shoes; Youth's, $1.75.

CAUTION.—The genuine have W. L. Douglas name and price stamped on the bottom.

Shoes by mail, 25 cents extra. Illustrated Catalogue free.
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Sale of Indianapolis Arsenal; Indianapolis, Ind., Pullman building, Chicago, Illinois, February 11, 1903. Under provisions of act of congress of June 30, 1902, and by direction of secretary of war, there will be sold at public auction to highest bidder on premises at 12 noon, March 16, 1903, the property known as Indianapolis Arsenal, Indianapolis, Ind., containing about 75 acres, together with improvements thereon. Premises may be seen by applying to commanding officer of troops at arsenal. Conditions of sale: First, the property and improvements thereon will be sold as a whole; second, no bid will be received at less than $154,000, the duly appraised value of the land and improvements; third, a deposit of $15,400 will be required of highest bidder at time of sale, and balance of payments must be made within thirty days of date of sale. W. H. Miller, quartermaster, U. S. A. 14-16-17-18M12-13

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On real estate or personal property. C. E. Pfeiffer, rooms 6-7 Bass Block. tf.

CUT PRICES FOR PAY DAYS

All City Flour	98c sk
Lion and 4X Coffee	10c lb
Gr. Sugar (best)	5c lb
Fresh Eggs	16c doz
Best Corn Meal	8c sk
Best Navy Beans	8c qt
Best Rolled Oats	3½c lb
Best Prunes	4c lb
Fox's Best Crackers	7c lb
Fox's Best Gin. Snaps	6c lb
Best Michigan Potatoes	60c bu
Best Evaporated Apples	7c lb
Best Bread	3c loaf
Best Japan Rice	5c lb

OIL. OIL.

Best Diamond Oil	12c gal
Best Headlight Oil	14c gal.

Why not place an order with us and get cash checks, the best premium plan in the city? Our prices cannot be beat. Compare them and see.

We deliver goods to all parts of the city.

Frank H. Hilgemann,
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405 W. JEFFERSON STREET.

WORKINGMEN, ATTENTION!

Edwin F. Gould, editor of the "Union," will address the laboring men of Fort Wayne, Wednesday evening, in the Assembly Room of the court house. Admission free.

If you like Mrs. Austin's famous Pancake Flour, won't you kindly tell your friends how delicious it is? 11-t6

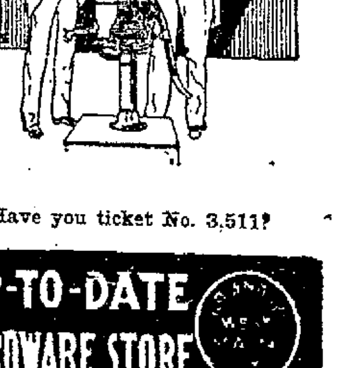
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